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SUMMARY.

King Edward cordially received Sir George Reid on Thursday, and conferred the degree of knighthood upon him.

Sir George was received in special audience. His Majesty manifested deep interest in the affairs of the Commonwealth.

Numerous questions were directed to Mr. Asquith in the House of Commons concerning the position of the Government.

He said the Government would not continue in office unless it was able to ensure the Veto Bill becoming law.

The Parliamentary golf tournament is to occupy only one day, instead of six weeks.

This arrangement has been made owing to the general expectation of an early dissolution.

The Bishop of Lincoln, who is in a critical condition, has dictated a touching farewell to the people of his diocese.

The British Army estimates amount to £27,760,000. The total establishment shows an increase of 1000 men.

An explosion occurred in the air shaft at the Treadwell mine, Alaska, and 28 miners were killed. Thirty-seven others are missing.

The trial is proceeding of Cornelius Howard Chester, on a charge of murdering Mr. G. Storrs, at Gorse Hall, Stalybridge.

The Central Federated Labour Union in Philadelphia has proclaimed a general strike in sympathy with the tram strike.

Employees to the number of 100,000 will strike work unless the tramway authorities consent to arbitration.

Renewed riots have taken place in Philadelphia. The police were powerless to check the outbreak.

England won the third test match against South Africa by three wickets.

Marshal Fonseca has been elected President of the Republic of Brazil.

Mr. Rockefeller, jun., is retiring from business to devote himself to philanthropic work.

A portion of the town of Wellington in Washington State has been destroyed by an avalanche.

There is little likelihood of further rescues being made at Everette, as the trains are buried under 40 feet of snow and debris.

The Viceroy of India states that the Dalai Lama fled from Lhassa against the advice of the council and National Assembly.

The English estate of the late Mr. Robert Hoe, manufacturers of printing machinery, of New York, is valued for probate at £113,203.

In a Rugby football match played at Paris, England defeated France by 11 points to 3.

Ex-councillor W. Young, of Kingston-upon-Thames, has been sentenced to three years for stealing a workmen's club funds.

A sensational trial has been commenced at the Venice assizes.

Baumoff, a Russian, the Countess Tarnowska, her lawyer, and her maid, are charged with the murder of a Russian count.

A large majority of the Greek Chamber of Deputies voted in favour of the convocation of a revisionist assembly.

The revolutionary forces in Nicaragua have been crushingly defeated by the Government troops.

Negotiations in the settlement of the northern strike are practically at a standstill.

There is a large amount of distress among the miners' families, as very little relief money is coming in.

The South Coast mines which recently resumed work after the strike have been working at full pressure.

Every colliery had a record output during the past fortnight, some big pays being drawn yesterday.

It is stated that when the new mine at Clifton is in full swing about 1000 hands will be employed.

Yesterday was pay day at South Clifton colliery, and the employees drew their first pay for over five months.

Williamson and Phillips are still working in the mine, but the feeling against them continues very bitter.

The South Clifton miners' lodge officials yesterday refused to accept their union fees.

The president of the Sydney Labour Council has replied to the Premier's statement in regard to the Industrial Disputes Act.

He says the policy of the council has always been in favour of settling disputes by arbitration.

"The only difference of opinion is in regard to the method to be adopted," adds Mr. Farrar.

The Premier and Mr. Perry inspected the breakwater at the Richmond River entrance, and then left for Byron Bay.

The Public Works Committee has taken evidence upon the Umberumberka scheme of water supply.

The crews which are to bring the torpedo-boat destroyers Parramatta and Yarra to Australia will leave for England in the Otranto.

The expert committee which has examined the tenders for erecting a wireless station at Sydney has concluded its work.

A tender for the installation of a modern system of wireless is to be recommended to the Postmaster-General.

The Chief Commissioner for Railways has accepted the position of president of the Railway Institute.

The Acting Secretary for Defence, Mr. Pethebridge, will probably be appointed as permanent successor to Captain Collins.

Mr. Justice Higgins dealt yesterday with preliminary matters arising out of the federated engine-drivers' dispute.

The hearing of the special case stated for the opinion of the High Court in the boot trade dispute was begun in Melbourne.

As the result of the annual musketry competitions for cadets Corporal C. Dakin, of North St. Leonards, is the champion shot.

The Methodist Conference yesterday devoted considerable time to making provision for the needs of country circuits.

The secession of the New Zealand Methodist Conference from the Australasian General Conference was referred to.

It was held that one result of the breakaway would probably be the union of all branches of the Church in New Zealand.

Negotiations are in progress for a meeting of the parochial and diocesan nominators in connection with the vacancy at St. James's.

The Marine Court inquiry at Cooktown into the straining of the steamer Moresby has closed.

The captain said that when the ship struck she had overrun the log by nine miles.

Mr. Hedges gives a categorical denial to the Sydney Labour Council's charges in reference to the treatment of blind workers.

A startling discovery has been made in regard to Mrs. Day, the wife of a Melbourne constable, who was burnt to death.

It appears that the woman first set fire to her house, and then cut her own throat.

Culwulla III., the challenger for the Sayonara Cup, entered Port Phillip Heads yesterday afternoon.

A saddler named John W. Kennedy shot his wife at Newmarket (Vic.), and then committed suicide by shooting himself.

A buggy and pair were capsized over an embankment at the Dorrigo, and rolled down a gorge.

The occupants of the buggy, Mr. T. Craig and his wife and child, had a miraculous escape, being only slightly injured.

The Nepean Agricultural Show was officially opened by the Minister for Works yesterday.

The crops in many parts of the country are languishing for the want of rain. Steady rain set in at Broken Hill last night.

The drought in the northern areas of South Australia has broken up, heavy rain having fallen.

At the wool auctions during the week brokerage to good sorts were in strong demand.

Values ruled up to the best prices since the December recess for such descriptions.

Copper stocks were in improved demand yesterday, the market being steady.

The business recorded in silver scrip was on satisfactory lines, and gold shares had more attention than usual.

Forecast.—Cloudy and unsettled generally; rain in the western districts, extending over the State during the next day or two; easterly winds.

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†OTRANTO....	Coad..	12,124	Mar. 16	Mar. 23	Mar. 25
†ORSOVA....	Parsons..	12,036	Mar. 30	Apr. 6	Apr. 8
†OTWAY....	Symons..	12,077	Apr. 13	Apr. 20	Apr. 22
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For AUCKLAND, GISBORNE, NAPIER, WELLINGTON, LYTTELTON, and DUNEDIN—*MAHENO (Triple-screw Turbine), WEDNESDAY, March 9, 2 p.m.; March 23.
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For WELLINGTON, LYTTELTON, DUNEDIN, BLUFF, HOBART, MELBOURNE (transhipment to outports)—MOERAKI (Twin-screw), SAT., March 12, 2 p.m. MOANA, SATURDAY, March 19. WARRIMOO, SATURDAY, March 26. MANUKA (Twin-screw), SATURDAY, April 2.

TASMANIA.

For HOBART DIRECT—PALOONA, TUESDAY, March 15, noon; March 29.
From HOBART—PALOONA, TUESDAY, March 8, 22.
For LAUNCESTON, via EDEN—WAKATIPU, WED., March 16, 10 a.m.; March 30.
From LAUNCESTON, via EDEN—WAKATIPU, WED., March 9, 23.
For STRAHAN, REGATTA PT., DEVONPORT, BURNIE, STANLEY—KAKAPO, March 7 (Cargo only), from Druitt-st.

SOUTH SEA ISLANDS.

For LAUTOKA, SUVA, LEVUKA (FIJI), APIA (Samoa), VAVAU, HAAPAI, and NUKUALOFA (Tonga), thence to Auckland—ATUA (Twin-screw), TUESDAY, March 29, 7 p.m.
For LAUTOKA, SUVA, LEVUKA (FIJI)—MANAPOURI, Wednesday, March 23.
For TONGA, SAMOA, FIJI, and SYDNEY—TOFUA (Twin-screw), from Auckland, March 23.
For FIJI DIRECT (Suva, etc.), from AUCKLAND—NAVUA (Twin-screw), WEDNESDAY, March 16.

SAN FRANCISCO AND EASTERN PACIFIC SERVICE.

From WELLINGTON—MOKOIA, March 16, April 21, for RAROTONGA and TAHITI, transhipping thence to MARIPOSA for SAN FRANCISCO. Connection: MOERAKI, from Sydney, March 12.
From AUCKLAND—TALUNE, TUESDAY, March 15, for RAROTONGA and TAHITI only. Connection: MAHENO, from Sydney, March 9.

FROM MELBOURNE.

For NEW ZEALAND PORTS (via Hobart)—WARRIMOO, WEDNESDAY, March 9, 2 p.m. MANUKA (twin-screw), WEDNESDAY, March 16.
For LAUNCESTON, 4 p.m.—LOONGANA (Turbine), Wednesdays and Saturdays.
For BURNIE and DEVONPORT—OONAH, 1 p.m., Tuesdays and Fridays.
For STRAHAN DIRECT—WAINUI, March 9, 19.

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BRISBANE, *MARYBOROUGH, *BUNDABERG, *GLADSTONE, ROCKHAMPTON, TOWNSVILLE (Jetty and Town Wharfs)—** ASHRIDGE (cargo only), THIS DAY, SATURDAY, Noon, March 5. WYREEMA (New Steamer, Twin-screw, 6500 Tons), TUESDAY, 5 p.m., March 8. ** MOIRA (Cargo only), SATURDAY, Noon, March 12.

BRISBANE, ROCKHAMPTON, MACKAY, BOWEN, TOWNSVILLE (Town Wharf), TOWNSVILLE (Jetty Wharf), ‡ LUCINDA, ‡ GERALDTON, ‡ MOURILYAN, CAIRNS, *** PORT DOUGLAS, *** COOKTOWN,—WYREEMA (new steamer, Twin-screw, 6500 Tons), TUESDAY, 5 p.m., March 8. ARAMAC, TUESDAY, 7 p.m., March 15. WYANDRA, TUESDAY, 7 p.m., March 22. ARAWATTA, TUESDAY, 7 p.m., March 29.

THURSDAY ISLAND, NORMANTON, BURKETOWN,—ASHRIDGE, (Cargo only), THIS DAY, SATURDAY, Noon, March 5. (Transhipping at Brisbane.)

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MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, ALBANY, FREMANTLE,—RIVERINA, 12 noon, SATURDAY, March 12, without transhipment.

BRISBANE (Transhipping at Brisbane for Maryborough, Bundaberg, and Gladstone), ROCKHAMPTON (Wharf),—TIME (Cargo only), 5 p.m., TUESDAY, March 8. KOMURA (Cargo only), TUESDAY, March 15, 5 p.m.

BRISBANE, ROCKHAMPTON, MACKAY, TOWNSVILLE, CAIRNS (Transhipping for North Queensland ports),—GRANTALA (from Adel. S.S. Wharf), THIS DAY, SATURDAY, 2 p.m., March 5. BOMBALA, 3 p.m., SATURDAY, March 12.

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AUCKLAND, GISBORNE, NAPIER, WELLINGTON, LYTTELTON, DUNEDIN (Transhipping to outports).—VICTORIA, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, Noon. WIMMERA, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30, Noon.

From MELBOURNE, via HOBART and BLUFF—ULIMAROA, TUESDAY, MARCH 22.

TASMANIA.

HOBART—WESTRALIA, TUESDAY, March 8, noon; and March 22.
From HOBART—WESTRALIA, March 15, 29.
LAUNCESTON, from Melbourne—LOONGANA (Turbine Yacht), Mar 9, 12, 16, 19, 23, 26, 30.

MELBOURNE—KOMURA, TUESDAY, MARCH 8 (Cargo only).

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FOR MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, ALBANY, FREMANTLE,—WOLLOWRA, TUESDAY, MARCH 8, 5 p.m., Through to Geraldton. See fares below. KYARRA, 7000 Tons, SATURDAY, March 19, at 12 noon (without transhipment.)

FOR GERALDTON and North-west Ports.—KOOMBANA (from Fremantle, April 1st, through to Wyndham, Shortest route for the Tanami Goldfield).

FOR HOPETOUN, ESPERANCE, and S.E. Coast Ports of W.A.—FERRET, (from Albany), MARCH 18th.

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BRISBANE, ROCKHAMPTON, MACKAY, TOWNSVILLE, CAIRNS (transhipping to all other Queensland Ports).—GRANTALA, THIS DAY, SATURDAY, March 5th, at 2 p.m. No cargo received after 10 a.m. BOMBALA, March 12th. YONGALA, March 19th.

SPECIAL FARES PER WOLLOWRA.

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Adelaide	3 15 0	5 10 0	2 0 0
Albany or Fremantle	9 0 0	13 10 0	5 0 0
Geraldton	11 0 0	17 0 0	6 0 0

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NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Sydney Harbour Trust Office, Circular Quay, 3rd March, 1910.

It is hereby notified for the information of masters of vessels and the shipping public that it is the intention of the Harbour Trust Commissioners to establish a LIGHT at ROBERTSON'S POINT, situated on the northern shore of Port Jackson. The light will be exhibited from the 1st April proximo, and will be shown from a white tower at a height of twenty-five (25) feet above ordinary high water. The light will be fixed bright, and will show all round except where obscured by the land.

HAROLD F. NORRIE, Secretary.
(7a-35)

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A BEAUTIFUL MODEL of Moire in the new ADMIRAL BLUE, lined with Velvet to match and trimmed with Silver Lace and two large Blue Ostrich Tips, 74/.

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TO-DAY, SATURDAY.

SPECIAL TRAINS will leave Sydney for Rosehill Racecourse as follows:—
11.45 a.m.—Horses.
12.12 p.m.—First and Second Class (stops at Strathfield).
12.48 p.m.—First-class.
12.52 p.m.—First and Second Class (stops at Strathfield).
12.56 p.m.—Second-class.
1.0 p.m.—First and Second Class.
1.8 p.m.—First and Second Class.
1.18 p.m.—First and Second Class (stops at Strathfield).
1.43 p.m.—First and Second Class (stops at Strathfield).

FARES (Return): First-class, 2s (including Grandstand 13s 6d, Ladies 6s); Second-class, 2s 6d (including Leger 4s 6d).

ORDINARY AND SEASON TICKETS WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE BY THE SPECIAL TRAINS.

MUDGEE SHOW.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, AND FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 10, and 11.

RETURN TICKETS at the rate of SINGLE FARE AND A QUARTER (minimum rates, 2s First-class and 1s Second-class) will be issued at SYDNEY, RICHMOND, BATHURST, and intermediate stations to MUDGEE, commencing on TUESDAY, March 8, and thereafter by trains timed to arrive at MUDGEE up to 6.30 a.m. on FRIDAY, March 11, available for return until MONDAY, March 14, 1910.

Handbills and further particulars obtainable from Station Masters.

CAMPBELLTOWN SHOW.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, MARCH 9 AND 10.

RETURN TICKETS at the rate of SINGLE FARE AND A QUARTER (minimum rates 2s First-class and 1s Second-class) will be issued to Campbelltown at Sydney, Penrith, Richmond, Camden, Moss Vale, and intermediate stations, commencing on Tuesday, March 8, and thereafter by trains timed to arrive at Campbelltown up to 12.24 p.m. on Thursday, March 10, available for return until Friday, March 11, 1910.

Handbills and further particulars obtainable from Station Masters.

BERRY SHOW.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, AND FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 10, AND 11.

CHEAP TICKETS at the fares indicated hereunder (minimum 2s First-class and 1s Second-class) will be issued TO BERRY by the trains shown, available for return until SATURDAY, March 12, 1910, viz.:—

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9.
*From Sydney and intermediate stations by Ordinary Train leaving Sydney at 8.30 a.m.
*At Kiama and intermediate stations by Ordinary Train leaving Kiama at 8.20 a.m.
*At Nowra by Ordinary Trains leaving Nowra at 6.45 a.m. and 1.40 p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 10.
**From Sydney and intermediate Stations by Special Train leaving Sydney at 7.2 a.m.
*At Sydney, Para Meadow, and intermediate stations by Ordinary Train leaving Sydney at 8.30 a.m.
**At Kiama and intermediate stations by Special Train leaving Kiama at 9.20 a.m.
**At Nowra, by Special Train leaving that station at 10.40 a.m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 11.
*At Kiama and intermediate stations by Ordinary Train leaving Kiama at 8.20 a.m., and at Wollongong and intermediate stations by ordinary train leaving Wollongong at 11.4 a.m.
*At Nowra by Ordinary Train leaving that station at 6.45 a.m.

FARES.
*Fares by trains marked (thus *) will be at rate of SINGLE FARE AND A QUARTER for double journey.
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Handbills and further particulars obtainable from Stationmasters.

CHEAP EXCURSION TRAINS TO AND FROM THE COUNTRY.

RETURN TICKETS at SINGLE FARE for the DOUBLE JOURNEY (minimum rates 7s 6d first-class and 5s second-class) will be issued on the undermentioned dates. Tickets issued for distances up to 300 miles will be available for return within one calendar month from date of issue, and those issued for distances over 300 miles will be available for return within six weeks from date of issue, by trains specified on handbills.

Excursion Trains to country stations will leave Sydney as follows:—

TO THE NORTHERN AND NORTH-WESTERN LINES.
To Main Line stations north of Werris Creek, to the Barraba Line, and Walgett Line (beyond Burren Junction) on MONDAY, March 14.
To stations as far as Werris Creek, and to the North-western Branch, including Inverell Line and stations Round Swamp to Collarenebri East, on TUESDAY, March 15.

TO THE WESTERN LINE AND BRANCHES.
To the Western Line and Branches (except stations Mumma to Gulgong, inclusive, and Carlachy to Condobolin, inclusive), on MONDAY, March 14.
To stations Mumma to Gulgong, inclusive, and Carlachy to Condobolin, inclusive, on TUESDAY, March 15.

TO THE SOUTHERN LINE AND BRANCHES.
To stations on the Crookwell Branch, on WEDNESDAY, March 16.
To the Southern Line and Branches (except the Crookwell, Grenfell, and Lockhart Branch Lines), on THURSDAY, March 17.
To stations on the Grenfell and Lockhart Branches, on FRIDAY, March 18.

Similar Cheap Tickets will also be issued from Country stations to Sydney, and intermediate stations, as under:—

FROM THE NORTHERN AND NORTH-WESTERN LINES.
From Main Line stations north of Tamworth, from the Barraba and Inverell Lines, and from stations Moree to Edgeroi, and Collarenebri East to Round Swamp, inclusive, on THURSDAY, March 17.
From stations Walgett to Bugilbone, and Narrabri to Gap, inclusive, on FRIDAY, March 18.
From stations Tamworth to Woy Woy, on FRIDAY, and MONDAY, March 18 and 21.

FROM THE WESTERN LINE AND BRANCHES.
From stations Bourke to Summervale, inclusive; from the Brewarrina and Cobar Lines, from stations Dubbo to Mary Vale, and Gulgong to Irondale, inclusive, on MONDAY, March 14.
From stations Wellington to Wombiana, Forbes to Orange Racecourse, Condobolin to Brolgan, inclusive, and from the Grenfell Line, on TUESDAY, March 15.
From stations Nyngan to Minore, inclusive, from Warren and Coonamble Branches, from stations Tullamore to Bottfield, and Cowra to Stanfield, inclusive; also from stations Blayney to Springwood, inclusive, on WEDNESDAY, March 16.

FROM THE SOUTHERN LINE AND BRANCHES.
From the Crookwell Branch, on WEDNESDAY, March 16.
From Main Line Stations Harden to Douglas Park, the Lockhart, Barellan, and Grenfell Branch Lines, on THURSDAY, March 17.
From Main Line Stations Albury to Murrumburrah, inclusive, the Corowa, Germanton, Hay, Finley, Tumut, Wyalong, and Cooma Branches; also from stations Wattamondara to Kingsvale, inclusive, on FRIDAY, March 18.

FROM THE ILLAWARRA LINE.
From stations Nowra to Corrimal, inclusive, on TUESDAY, March 22.

For times of trains, availability of tickets, trains by which Excursionists may return, etc., see handbills, obtainable from all Stationmasters.

(11.20) By order.

New South Wales Government Railways, Office of the Chief Commissioner, Sydney, February 25, 1910.

TENDERS will be received at this Office not later than 12 o'clock noon on the dates specified for the undermentioned Purchases, Supplies, etc., viz.:—

MONDAY, MARCH 7, 1910.
THE MANUFACTURE AND SUPPLY OF ABOUT 16 TONS of Cast-iron Piping and Bends, for the Ultimo Power-house. Particulars, Electric Engineer, 61 Hunter-street, Sydney.

MONDAY, MARCH 14, 1910.
THE SUPPLY OF STORES REQUIRED FOR THE RAILWAY AND TRAMWAY SERVICES DURING THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1911.
For further particulars, Railway Stores, Wilson-street, Eveleigh. Each tender must be enclosed in a separate envelope, and endorsed with the Schedule No. and Title, thus:—"Tender for Schedule No. 1, General Ironmongery," or as the case may be.
A preliminary deposit equal to 1 per cent. of the value of the contract must accompany each tender.

MONDAY, MARCH 21, 1910.
THE SUPPLY, DELIVERY, and ERECTION OF ONE SUB-STATION UNIT, consisting of one 300 Kilowatt Rotary Converter and Accessories. Particulars, Electrical Engineer's Office, 61 Hunter-street, Sydney.
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(Signed) T. MITCHELL, Blacksmith and Boilermaker, 57 Harbour-st, Darling Harbour.

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WAGNER RECITAL. TO-NIGHT. WAGNER RECITAL.
THE CITY ORGANIST, Mr. Ernest Truman, A.R.C.O., Leipsic, R.C.M., will render the THIRD RECITAL of the Wagner series
SATURDAY, 5th MARCH, 1910, 8 p.m.
PROGRAMME.
1. Vorspiel and Liebestod .... Tristan and Isolda
2. The Rhein Maidens and Siegfried, Act 3, Gotterdammerung.
3. The Forging of the Sword "Nothung" .... Siegfried
4. The Magic Fire .... Walkure
5. Brunhilde's Awakening and Greeting to the Sun .... Siegfried
6. "Overture" .... Tannhauser
GOD SAVE THE KING.
Children in arms not admitted. W. G. LAYTON, Acting Town Clerk. Town Hall, Sydney, 4th March, 1910.

TOWN HALL. ORGAN RECITAL. The Usual MATINEE ORGAN RECITAL will be held in the Town Hall, Sydney, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, the 6th instant, at 3.15 o'clock, when the CITY ORGANIST, Mr. Ernest Truman, A.R.C.O., Leipsic, R.C.M., will preside at the Organ. ADMISSION FREE. Children in arms not admitted. W. G. LAYTON, Acting Town Clerk. Town Hall, Sydney, 4th March, 1910.

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AUTUMN MEETING.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY,

AND

SATURDAY FOLLOWING (CUP DAY).

FIRST RACE, 2 P.M. EACH DAY.

SPECIAL TRAINS

DIRECT TO THE RACECOURSE PLATFORM

will leave Sydney Railway Station as under:—

11.45 a.m.—Horse Train, leaves Platform No. 15.
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12.45 p.m.—First Class, leaves Platform No. 13.
*12.52 p.m.—First and Second Class, leaves Platform No. 15.
12.56 p.m.—Second Class, leaves Platform No. 14.
1.0 p.m.—First and Second Class, leaves Platform No. 15.
1.8 p.m.—First and Second Class, leaves Platform No. 14.
*1.18 p.m.—First and Second Class, leaves Platform No. 15.
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THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON.

7 EVENTS. FIRST RACE 2.15 P.M.

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HAWKESBURY RACE CLUB.

AUTUMN MEETING.

SATURDAY, 19th MARCH, 1910.

PROGRAMME:

FLYING HANDICAP.

Of 75 sovs, with sweepstakes of 30s each for starters added; second horse 10 sovs from the prize. A winner of a handicap, after declaration of weights, to carry 10lb extra. ¾ mile.

STEWARDS MILE.

A Handicap of 75 sovs, with a sweepstakes of 30s each for starters added; second horse 10 sovs from the prize. A winner of a handicap after the declaration of weights to carry 10lb extra. 1 mile.

PARK STAKES.

A Handicap of 75 sovs, with a sweepstakes of 30s each for starters added; second horse 10 sovs from the prize. For all horses which have not won an advertised prize of the value of 50 sovs at the time of starting. A winner of a handicap, after declaration of weights, to carry 10lb extra. Apprentices who have not ridden five winners will be allowed 5lb. Six furlongs.

HAWKESBURY AUTUMN HANDICAP.

Of 200 sovs, with a sweepstakes of 4 sovs each for starters added; the owner of the winner to receive 200 sovs, including sweepstakes, the owner of the second horse two-thirds, and the owner of the third horse one-third of the balance of added money. A winner of a handicap after declaration of weights to carry 10lb extra. 1¼ mile and 200 yards.

HIGH-WEIGHT HANDICAP.

A Handicap of 75 sovs, with a sweepstakes of 30s each for starters added; second horse 10 sovs from the prize. Lowest weight not less than 7st 7lb. A winner of a handicap after declaration of weights to carry 10lb extra. 1 mile.

A.J.C. Rules.

Entrance for each Race 1 sov.

Weights on or before 14th March.

ENTRIES will CLOSE with the Undersigned, and with the secretary of the Rosehill Racing Club, Sydney, at 4 p.m., on MONDAY, 7th March, 1910.

The use of Cutting or other Dangerous Plates is prohibited on the Hawkesbury Racecourse.

C. S. GUEST, Sec. H.R.C., Richmond.

ROYAL SYDNEY YACHT SQUADRON.

FINAL RACES.

5th MARCH, 1910.

LADIES' RACE.

Course—From line off Club House, round Pile Light, off Watson's Bay, Shark Island, and finish between flag marks off Club House.

Start at 3 p.m.

No.	Yacht.	Handicap.	Starting Flag.
15	Whitewings	Scratch.	Black.
3	Petrel	2 minutes.	Yellow.
10	Yvelia	5 minutes.	Green.
1	Magic	5 minutes.	Green.
[illegible]	Scotia	7 minutes.	Blue.
[illegible]	Nanoya	7 minutes.	Blue.
[illegible]	Fairlie	10 minutes.	White.
[illegible]	Athene	12 minutes.	Red.

TUCK BOAT RACE.

Course—From starting line off Club House, round Pile Light, Watson's Bay, round Shark Island (outside beacon and buoy), round flag mark off Club House in Neutral Bay, thence round P. and O. Buoy, back to and finish across starting line.

Flying Start, 3.15 p.m.

Mia	Scratch.
Wylo	Scratch.
Olive	Scratch.
Mimosa	1 minute.
Lina	1 minute.
Salome	1 minute.
Adelphi	2 minutes.
Gilleena	6 minutes.
Doreen	11 minutes.
Margarita	12 minutes.
Tartan	13 minutes.

Steamer leaves Club House at 2 p.m. sharp.

Non-members will please present tickets, which can be obtained from members.

S. D. McLAREN, Secretary.

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24th ANNUAL REGATTA, LANE COVE RIVER, TO-DAY, SATURDAY, 5th MARCH.

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MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF MARRICKVILLE.

APPEAL COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court for the hearing of Appeals against Valuations of Land in this Municipality will be held at the Courthouse, Newtown, on WEDNESDAY, 21st MARCH, 1910, at 10 a.m.

HENRY T. BROWN, Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Marrickville, 3rd March, 1910.

MUNICIPALITY OF MARRICKVILLE.

STREET LEVELS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the PLAN showing the PERMANENT LEVELS of FERNDANK-STREET are now open for inspection to all persons interested, at the Town Hall, Illawarra-road, during business hours.

Persons objecting to the Levels are and hereby notified that their objections will be heard by the Council on MONDAY EVENING, 11th APRIL, 1910, at the Town Hall, at 9 o'clock.

HENRY T. BROWN, Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Marrickville, 3rd March, 1910.

ASHFIELD MUNICIPALITY.

ANNUAL APPEAL COURT, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above Court has been further ADJOURNED from the 17th December, 1909, to the 11th March, 1910, at 11 a.m., at the Court-room, Town Hall, Ashfield.

G. EDMUND SPARK, Town Clerk of Ashfield.

Council's Office, Town Hall, Liverpool-road, Ashfield, 4th March, 1910.

MUNICIPALITY OF BANKSTOWN.

APPEAL COURT, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that an OPEN COURT for the hearing of APPEALS against the Valuation of the above Municipality will be holden at the Court-house, Burwood, on the 14th day of APRIL, 1910, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

A FRIENDLY APPEAL COURT will also be held at the Council-chambers, Liverpool-road, Bankstown, on the 10th day of MARCH, 1910, at 8 p.m.

By Order of the Council.

ARTHUR R. PEEK, Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Bankstown, March 3rd, 1910.

MUNICIPALITY OF BANKSTOWN.

NOTICE is hereby given that ALD. WILLIAM GILLIVER was unanimously re-elected Mayor of the above Municipality for the ensuing term.

ARTHUR R. PEEK, Town Clerk.

MUNICIPALITY OF WOOLLAHRA.

APPEAL COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Appeal Court for the purpose of hearing appeals against the valuations made within this Municipality under the Local Government Act will be held at the Paddington Police Court on THURSDAY, the 24th March, at 10.30 a.m.

CHAS. A. VIVIAN, Town Clerk.

Council-chambers, Woollahra, 4th March, 1910.

MUNICIPALITY OF RANDWICK.

APPEAL COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the COURT OF APPEAL for the purpose of hearing the appeal of persons aggrieved by valuations made for the purpose of rating for the year 1910 within this Municipality, under the provisions of section 156 of the Local Government Act of 1906, will be held at the Courthouse, Paddington, MONDAY, MARCH 14th, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon. This Court is for appeals under £10,000.

W. K. PERCIVAL, Acting Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Randwick, March 4th, 1910.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

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IN THE INDUSTRIAL COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

In the Matter of an Application by the MUSICIANS' UNION OF AUSTRALASIA, NEW SOUTH WALES, LOCAL, No. 1, for the Constitution of a BOARD for the Industry of Professional Musicians; and in the Matter of an Application to vary the determination of the Court made therein on the 7th day of April, 1909.

TAKE NOTICE that the abovenamed Musicians' Union will make application to the Industrial Court on WEDNESDAY, the 16th day of March, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the Court may hear the application, to vary the abovementioned determination of the Industrial Court, in the manner hereunder set forth—that is to say, by the addition after the word "Newcastle" in the said determination of the words "and within a radius of thirty miles of the General Post Office, Newcastle."

ALFRED O'BRIEN, Sec. of the Applicant Union.

C. G. ADDISON, Industrial Registrar.

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We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we were present at the drawing of the above, and that the numbers are correct:—(Signed) Alex. M'Neilly, G.P.O.; Wm. Stewart, Cockatoo Is.; D. M. Roberts, P. Davoren, Sergeant, Pad.; T. S. Batson, Constable, Pad.

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CHAPTER IV.—Continued.

Meanwhile the special train sped along the noble Red River and out into the country. All over the prairie the wheat was up in a smooth green carpet, broken here and there by the fields of timothy and clover, or the patches of summer fallow, or the white homestead buildings. The June sun shone down upon the teaming earth, and a mirage, born of sun and moisture, spread along the edge of the horizon, so that Elizabeth, the lake-lover, could only imagine in her bewilderment that Lake Winnipeg or Lake Manitobar had come dancing south and east to meet her, so clearly did the houses and trees, far away behind them, and on either side, seem to be standing at the edge of blue water, in which the white clouds overhead were mirrored, and reed-beds stretched along the shore. But as the train receded the mirage followed them; the dream-water lapped up the trees and the fields, and even the line they had just passed over seemed to be standing in water.

How foreign to an English eye was the flat, hedgeless landscape, with its vast satin smooth fields of bluish green wheat; its farm houses with their ploughed fireguards and shelter-belts of young trees; its rare villages, each stretching in one long straggling line of wooden houses along the level earth; its scattered, treeless lakes, from which the duck rose as the train passed. Was it this mere foreignness, this likeness in difference, that made it strike so sharply, with such a pleasant pungency on Elizabeth's senses? Or was it something else—some perception of an opening future, not only for Canada but for herself, mingling with the broad light, the keen air, the lovely strangeness of the scene?

Yet she scarcely spoke to Arthur Delaine, with whom one might have supposed this hidden feeling connected. She was indeed aware of him all the time. She watched him secretly; watching herself, too, in the characteristic modern way. But outwardly she was absorbed in talking with her guests.

The Chief Justice, roundly modelled, with a pink ball of a face set in white hair, had been half a century in Canada, and had watched the North-west grow from babyhood. He had passed his seventieth year, but Elizabeth noticed in the old men of Canada a strained expectancy, a buoyant hope, scarcely inferior to that of the younger generation. There was in Sir Michael's talk no hint of a Nunc Dimittis; rather a passionate regret that life was ebbing, and the veil falling over a national spectacle so enthralling, so dramatic.

"Before this century is out we shall be a people of 80 millions, and within measurable time this plain of a thousand miles from here to the Rockies will be as thickly peopled as the Plain of Lombardy."

"Well, and what then?" said a harsh voice in a French accent, interrupting the Chief Justice.

Arthur Delaine's face, turning towards the speaker, suddenly lightened, as though its owner, said, Ah! precisely."

"The Plain of Lombardy is not a paradise," continued Mariette, with a laugh that had in it a touch of impatience.

"Not far off it," murmured. Delaine, as he looked out on the vast field of wheat they were passing—a field two miles long, flat and green and bare as a billiard table—and remembered the chestnuts and the looping vines, the patches of silky corn and spiky maize, and all the interlacing richness and broidering of the Italian plain. His soul rebelled against this naked new earth and its bare new fortunes. All very well for those who must live in it, and make it. "Yet is there better than it"—lands steeped in a magic that has been woven for them by the mere life of immemorial generations.

He murmured this to Elizabeth who smiled.

"Their shroud?" she said, to tease him. "But Canada has on her wedding garment."

Again he asked himself what had come to her. She looked years younger than when he had parted from her in England. The delicious thought shot through him that his advent might have something to do with it.

He stooped towards her.

"Willy-nilly, your friends must like Canada," he said, in her ear, "if it makes you so happy."

He had no art of compliment, but the words were simple and sincere, and Elizabeth grew suddenly pink, to her own great annoyance. Before she could reply, however, the Chief Justice had insisted on bringing her back into the general conversation.

"Come and keep the peace, Lady Merton." Here is my friend Mariette playing the devil's advocate, as usual. Anderson tells me you are inclined to think well of us; so perhaps you ought to hear it."

Mariette smiled and bowed—a trifle sombrely. He was plain and gaunt, but he had the air of a grand seigneur, and was in fact a member of one of the old seigneurial families of Quebec.

"I have been inquiring of Sir Michael, Madame, whether he is quite happy in his mind as to all these Yankees that are now pouring into the new provinces. He, like everyone else, prophesies great things for Canada; but suppose it is an American Canada?"

"Let them come," said Anderson with a touch of scorn. "Excellent stuff! We can absorb them. We are doing it fast."

"Can you? They are pouring all over the new districts as fast as the survey is completed and the railways planned. They bring capital, which your Englishman doesn't. They bring knowledge of the prairie and the climate, which your Englishman hasn't got. As for capital, America is doing everything: Financing the railways, the mines, buying up the lands, and leasing the forests. British Columbia is only nominally yours; American capital and American business have got their grip firm on the very vitals of the province."

"Perfectly true," put in the lumberman from Vancouver. "They have three-fourths of the forests in their hands."

"No matter," said Anderson, kindling. "There was a moment of danger—twenty years ago. It is gone. Canada will no more be American than she will be Catholic—with apologies to Mariette. Those Yankees come in—they turn Englishmen in six months—they celebrate Dominion Day on the 1st of July, and Independence Day, for old sake's sake, on the 4th; and their children will be as loyal as Toronto."

"Aye, and as dull!" said Mariette fiercely.

The conversation dissolved in protesting laughter. The Chief Justice, Anderson, and the lumberman fell upon another subject. Philip and the pretty English girl were flirting on the platform outside; Mariette dropped into a seat beside Elizabeth.

"You know my friend, Mr. Anderson, Madame?"

"I made acquaintance with him on the journey yesterday. He has been most kind to us."

"He is a very remarkable man. When he gets into the House he will be heard of. He will perhaps make his mark on Canada."

"You and he are old friends?"

"Since our student days. I was of course at the French University, Laval—and he at M'Gill. But we saw a great deal of each other. He used to come home with me in his holidays.

"He told me somthing of his early life."

"Did he? It is a sad history, and I fear we —my family, that is, who are so attached to him—have only made it sadder. Three years ago he was engaged to my sister. Then the Archbishop forbade mixed marriages. My sister broke it off, and now she is a nun in the Ursuline Conventat Quebec."

"Oh, poor things," cried Elizabeth, her eyes on Anderson's distant face.

"My sister is quite happy," said Mariette sharply. "She did her duty. But my poor friend suffered. However, now he has got over it. And I hope he will marry. He is very dear to me, though we have not a single opinion in the world in common."

Elizabeth kept him talking. The picture of Anderson drawn for her by the admiring but always critical affection of his friend, touched and stirred her. His influence at college, the efforts by which he had placed his brothers in the world, the sensitive and generous temperament which had won him friends among the French-Canadian students, he remaining all the time English of the English; the tendency to melancholy—a personal and private melancholy—which mingled in him with a passionate enthusiasm for Canada and Canada's future; Mariette drew these things for her, in a stately yet pungent French that affected her strangely as though the French of Saint Simon—or something like it—breathed again from a Canadian mouth. Anderson meanwhile was standing outside with the Chief Justice. She threw a glance at him now and then, wondering about his love affair. Had he really got over it?—or was that M. Mariette's delusion? She liked on the contrary to think of him as constant and broken-hearted!

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The car stopped, as it seemed, on the green prairie, thirty miles from Winnipeg. Elizabeth was given up to the owner of the great farm—one of the rich men of Canada for whom experiment in the public interest becomes a passion; and Anderson walked on her other hand.

Delaine endured a wearisome half-hour. He got no speech with Elizabeth, and prize cattle were his abomination. When the half-hour was done he slipped away, unnoticed, from the party. He had marked a small lake or "slough" at the rear of the house, with wide reed-beds, and a clump of cotton-wood. He betook himself to the cotton-wood, took out his pocket Homer and a notebook, and fell to his task. He was in the thirteenth book. "As when a man longeth for supper, for whom, the livelong day, two wine-coloured oxen have dragged the fitted plough through the fallow, and joyful to such an one is the going down of the sun that sends him to his meal, for his knees tremble as he goes—so welcome to Odysseus was the setting of the sun."

He lost himself in familiar joy—the joy of the Greek itself, of the images of the Greek life. He walked with the Greek ploughman, he smelt the Greek earth, his thoughts caressed the dark oxen under the yoke. These for him had savour and delight; the wide Canadian fields had none.

Philip Gaddesden meanwhile could not be induced to leave the car. While the others were going through the splendid stables and cowsheds, kept like a queen's parlour, he and the pretty girl were playing at bob-cherry in the saloon, to the scandal of Yerkes, who, with the honour of the car and the C.P.R. and Canada itself on his shoulders, could not bear that any of his charges should shuffle out of the main item in the official programme.

But Elizabeth, as before, saw everything transfigured; the splendid shire horses; the famous bull, progenitor of a coming race; the sheds full of glistening cows and mottled calves. These smooth, sleek creatures, housed there for the profit of Canada and her farm life, seemed to Elizabeth no less poetic than the cattle of Helios to Delaine. She loved the horses, and the patient, sweet-breathed kine; she found even a sympathetic mind for the pigs.

Presently, when her host, the owner, left her to explain some of his experiments to the rest of the party, she fell to Anderson alone. And as she strolled at his side, Anderson found the June afternoon pass with extraordinary rapidity. Yet he was not really as forthcoming or as frank as he had been the day before. The more he liked his companion, the more he was conscious of differences between them which his pride exaggerated. He himself had never crossed the Atlantic; but he understood that she and her people were "swells"—well-born in the English sense, and rich. Secretly he credited them with those defects of English society of which the new world talks—its vulgar standards and prejudices. There was not a sign of them certainly in Lady Merton's conversation. But it is easy to be gracious in a new country; and the brother was sometimes inclined to give himself airs. Anderson drew in his tentacles a little; ready indeed to be wrath with himself that he had talked so much of his own affairs to this little lady the day before. What possible interest could she have taken in them!

All the same, he could not tear himself from her side. Whenever Delaine left his seat by the lake, and strolled round the corner of the lake to reconnoitre, the result was always the same. If Anderson and Lady Merton were in sight at all, near or far, they were together. He returned, disconsolate, to Homer and the reeds.

As they went back to Winnipeg, some chance word revealed to Elizabeth that Anderson also was taking the night train for Calgary.

"Oh! then to-morrow you will come and talk to us," cried Elizabeth, delighted.

Her cordial look, the pretty gesture of her head, evoked in Anderson a start of pleasure. He was not, however, the only spectator of them. Arthur Delaine, standing by, thought for the first time in his life that Elizabeth's manner was really a little excessive.

The car left Winnipeg that night for the Rockies. An old man in a crowded third-class, with a bundle under his arm, watched the arrival of the Caddesden party. He saw Anderson accost them on the platform, and then make his way to his own carriage just ahead of them.

The train sped westwards through the Manitoba farms and villages. Anderson slept intermittently, haunted by various important affairs that were in his mind, and by recollections of the afternoon. Meanwhile, in the front of the train, the paragraph from the "Winnipeg Chronicle" lay carefully folded in an old tramp's waistcoat pocket.

(To be continued.)

CHESS.

Hon. secretaries of chess clubs are invited to furnish news of general interest. Unpublished games and original problems in diagram (which should be accompanied by analysis) are always acceptable.

PROBLEM No. 1264.—T. S. Johnston.
First Prize Football Field.
Black, 9 pieces.



White, 7 pieces.
White to play and mate in two moves.

Forsyth Notation Modified.—2N, 5p, 3rn, 5p, 1Rn, 5pkN, 2SPP, 8Q, 1bbK, 7.

Key.—Counting from Black's QR square, the initial letter of piece is put for the square occupied thereby. Numerals denote intervening blank squares. Black pieces in small type.

PROBLEM No. 1255.—M. Marble.
First Prize Football Field.

Forsyth Notation Modified.—K, 13p, 4P, 2p, 3b, 1k, 6NN, 1P, 2P, 3QP, 3P, 2P, 10. Mate in three.

PROBLEM No. 1256.—"Just in Time."
Key: PQ4.

Correct solution from: Esperanto, H. Roper, F. C. Freeman, O. Hegman, Can't B Beat, J. Harvey, F. R. Smith, H. Porter, J. G. Hilton, King's Pawn, J. Harrison, W. J. Smith, J. Birrell, P. M. Litchfield, E. M. Fry, J. C. Warner, R. H. Bulmer, A. Mosely, H. Beechey, K. C. Mason.

PROBLEM No. 1259.—"Liberty."
Key: KtB6.

Correct solution from: Esperanto, J. Harvey, F. R. Smith, H. Porter, King's Pawn, W. J. Smith, J. Birrell, P. M. Litchfield, E. M. Fry, J. C. Warner, A. Mosely, H. Beechey, K. C. Mason.

Correct solutions not above mentioned have reached us too late to score in tourney. They will, however, be acknowledged in our next issue.

"HERALD" SIXTEENTH TOURNEY.

The "Sydney Morning Herald's" sixteenth international problem tourney.—Conditions:—(1) Competitors may send in as many original problems in diagram, accompanied by full solutions, as they please. "White to play and mate in two moves." (2) Each problem to have a nom-de-guerre or motto. The composer's name and address to be enclosed in a separate sealed envelope with the like motto. Seals will not be broken until the awards are made. (3) Each problem to have but one author, not to have competed in any other tourney, or been published before. (4) Problems to be addressed, "The Editor, the 'Sydney Morning Herald,' Sydney, Australia," and reach this office by December 1 next. Three prizes (5 guineas, 2 guineas, and 1 guinea). Mr. A. Charlick, of Rose Park, S.A., judge.

Competing positions to date (8).

NOTES.

Night or Blucher.—The suburban association player, who plays with one eye on the clock and one on the board, is undone. A resolution was passed at the last annual general meeting that all games unfinished in which the captains could not agree as to loss or draw, should be played out to a finish. In the past it has been not at all uncommon to find a strange ladylike hesitancy on the part of players whose turn it was to move, when the choice seemed as between the devil and the deep sea. A look at the clock and one at the board—a leisurely loading of the pipe—and then finally a pleased "Hullo, it's time to stop." We suppose it was felt that such a complicated position was only fit for an adjudicator.

The New Style.—"Schlechter," concludes Dr. Lasker, after a detailed analysis of the first two games, "is inaugurating a new and altogether modern problem. How can one beat a man who meets offers of success and threats of an apparent attack with equal calm, thinks first of all of his own safety, and pursues this aim scientifically, and when necessary with acumen and flair? The answer to this question is for the moment unknown, but theoretically it can be said that, if initiative in the right place were combined with such strategy, the perfect style would be attained, and Schlechter would be invincible.—"Neue Freie Presse."

A Successful Tour.—Capablanca in his second American tour won 446 games, drew 19, and lost 13.

Manhattan C.C.—Marshall is leading in the championship tourney with 8½-1, and two games to play. Johner, 6½-1½, and Roething, 6-1, are next in scores.

THE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP.
SCHLECHTER v LASKER.
Third game, played on January 15.
(Ruy Lopez.)

White, C. Schlechter.	Black, Dr. Lasker.	White, C. Schlechter.	Black, Dr. Lasker.
1. PK4	PK4	15. KtxKt	QxKt
2. KtKB3	KtQB3	16. QK3	QQR4
3. BKt5	KtB3	17. QQ3	RK2
4. Castles	PQ3	18. RK3	QRK
5. RK	BK2	19. QRK	PKR3
6. PQ4	PxP	20. PKR3	BK3
7. KtxP	BQ2	21. KtR4	BB2
8. KtQB3	Castles	22. PQB4	PKR3
9. BxKt	PxB	23. KtB3	KR
10. BKt5	RK	24. QQ2	BKt3
11. QQ3	KtKt5	25. QRK2	BB2
12. BxB	QxB	26. QQ4	QKt3
13. KtB3	QRKt	27. QQ2	QR4
14. PQKt3	KtK4	Drawn after a repetition of moves.	

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

H.R.—The problems you refer to are not exactly twins, but there is certainly a strong family likeness.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I was very much interested in the account of the researches of Mr. Pike in Monday's issue. While congratulating Mr. Pike on the large measure of success to which he has attained, I would like to correct a false impression that your article is likely to convey. On the last trip to the South Sea Islands the Powerful was in communication with the Challenger over greater distances than even the 1500 miles which Mr. Pike aspires to. The longest distance recorded during this trip was 2058 miles, and messages were sent and received at this distance. I am not writing in any deprecatory spirit, but so far as I know this fact has not been published in Sydney.

I am, etc., B. J.

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CURRENT LITERATURE.

THIRTY YEARS IN INDIA.

Sir Edmund Cox had some curious experiences during his "Thirty Years in India" (Mills and Boon), and they are worth reading about. Sir Edmund was an old Marlborough boy just completing his first term at Trinity, Cambridge, in 1876, when he decided to become a tea-planter. Even then, on the way out, he heard of sedition, but as he had been brought up as a Liberal, he called it by another name. When he reached Calcutta he found that the police was miles better than tea-planting. However, he did not at once act on the advice. He met a tea-planter, who was also a clergyman and a schoolmaster, and became classical master at St. Paul's School, Darjeeling. The clergyman had been out for nine years, and out of his various enterprises had saved three thousand pounds. Subsequently Sir Edmund was out 32, and saved less than five hundred. Mr. Mathias was an exceedingly eccentric person, and the school breakfast varied between 9 in the morning and 3 in the afternoon. The boys were "perfect little devils," and the educational standard was beneath contempt. After a year or so here Sir Edmund was at Nizamut College, Moorshedabad, for two years. All the students were sons or near relations of the Nawab Nazim, who had over a hundred children. The headmaster could impart very little knowledge, which, on the whole, was rather a good thing. At the end of 1878 Sir Edmund wisely abandoned teaching, and filled a vacancy in the Political Department, which is concerned with the administration of native States, and was sent to Kolhapur, south of Poona. The Deccan was then in a very disturbed state, and there was a plot to murder all the Europeans in Kolhapur a few months later; and the mischievous influence of a "free press" was already felt from day to day. Tilak, who was convicted for sedition in 1908, was much in evidence. About 1883 Sir Edmund entered the police, in which he remained for 20 years, becoming ultimately Deputy Inspector-General. During this time he had ample opportunity of seeing something of the inside of the native mind, and although he does not write in a solid and serious fashion, his casual comments are very illuminating. His reminiscences of police service are bright and amusing, as well as throwing many curious sidelights on the native life. We have seldom read a more interesting book on India.

THE REALITY OF WAR.

Major Murray's "The Reality of War" (Hugh Rees) is a little book well worth reading. It has an introductory note by Spencer Wilkinson. He mentions that he gave a lecture to the Fabian Society on national training for war, and urged that the best teachers for a citizen army were professional officers—a point that is vital to the Kitchener scheme. Mr. Bernard Shaw could not agree. "Against professional officers I have the complaint to make that they never know their business. In spite of their many other excellent qualities, they have invariably shewn themselves incompetent in the matter of war." Mr. Wilkinson admits there is some truth in the Shavian paradox. "An enemy led by men who do their thinking for themselves has a tremendous advantage." The great exponent of this view is Clausewitz, and Major Murray's volume presents a number of characteristic passages from that authority, with some shrewd comment. It is quite a short book, and should be read by every young officer.

THE MAORIS.

Mr. James Cowan, in "The Maoris of New Zealand" (Whitcombe and Toombs), writes out of a full knowledge acquired by many years of contact with the Maori race. The author gives a connected account of Maori history, religion, and mythology, and a good deal of his illustrative folk-lore is printed for the first time. Students of New Zealand history will find a new version of the Wairau massacre of 1843 as narrated by a Maori warrior. Several chapters deal with the Maori as he is to-day. A large amount of historical research has been done during the last quarter of a century in New Zealand, and this book leaves little of its fruits ungathered. Mr. Cowan himself is a great collector of Maori lore, taken down from the mouth of old men whose memories went back to days before the Maori had become civilised. Most of the numerous illustrations are reproduced for the first time. The book is a mine of reliable information on such matters as tapu and tohunga, tattooing, Maori nature-lore and forest craft, the early Maori wars, and so on. Mr. Cowan wastes few words, and he generally gets to the heart of the matter he has in hand.

THE LIGHTER SIDE OF WAR.

Mr. Morton Ballyfrench has produced a very readable little book in "The Lighter Side of War" (Century Press). In the early part of 1901 the Militia Battalion, in which he held a commission, embarked for South Africa. He had some years previously retired from the army, finding his ardour "generously damped" by the wiseacres at the War Office. They went out in a converted cattle boat, while a large transport was lying forgotten at Durban, and eating up £7000 a month for her charter for eleven months! A "yarn" is told of a young officer of the Australian contingent, who, on disembarking with a toothache, mistook a great general for an army dentist —but doubtless it might have been told of anyone else. The battalion was sent on to Kroonstad, and an amusing though sorrowful account is given of the raw confusion that reigned there. Later on they took part in the first of the De Wet drives. Life in the block-houses and on armoured trains affords the opportunity for some vivid pictures. The minor details of the tedious last stages of the war are here shown as they looked at close quarters; and if the humour is occasionally feeble we must admit that in the circumstances it was rather heroic.

A CHILD'S ENGLISH LITERATURE.

An experiment in publishing that deserves success is "The Child's English Literature," written by H. E. Marshall, illustrated with some twenty colour drawings by J. R. Skelton, and attractively presented by T. C. and E. C. Jack, a firm famous for the splendid work it has done for young readers. The author has had plenty of experience, and never forgets that his first task is to make an interesting story that any intelligent boy or girl will read for its own sake. The second pitfall he has to avoid is that of cant and conventional estimates, which the child will learn later are discarded and unreal. This he does very successfully. His tone is quite modern all through. The last pitfall is that of telling too much. Mr. Marshall covers a great deal of ground, but he never becomes a school-book, and he is only occasionally something like a school-book. He tells the story of our literature from Caedmon to Carlyle, choosing men and topics very carefully, and carefully avoiding any distorting influences. We can thoroughly recommend his book, which is much more than can be said for many, or most, of the professed text-books intended for young students.

SOME TECHNICAL BOOKS.

Messrs. George Robertson forward several technical books of obvious utility. Mr. Charles Marsh writes "A Concise Treatise on Reinforced Concrete," which gives the matter of his exhaustive work on the subject that is not included in the "Manual." Reinforced concrete has come so largely into favour of late years that the constructing engineer is glad of any authoritative literature on the material and its use. The present volume is thoroughly reliable, and discusses the property of the working substance, behaviour under loading, methods of calculating, and the various systems of reinforcement.

A very useful book for the country is "Home Doctoring of Animals," by Harold Leeney, which now reaches a fourth revised and enlarged edition. This book is a classic of its kind. The treatment of the various topics is at once clear and compact, and the information and general method is thoroughly modern. Diseases of the blood, heart, digestive system, respiratory organs, brain and nervous system, parasitic diseases, wounds, operations, poisons and antidotes, antiseptics and disinfectants, physicking and nursing animals, are all dealt with in a sound and systematic way, and informative illustrations are introduced where required.

A good American book is Winslow and Hills' "The Production and Handling of Clean Milk," which is, in fact, a reliable textbook on the whole subject of dairy hygiene. The various chapters deal with germs in their general relation to milk, the composition of milk products, the housing and care of cows, milk inspection, the essentials of milk bacteriology, quantitative bacterial analysis, and laboratory work in dairy bacteriology. At all these points the authors reflect the best American practice and the best American practice is very good indeed.

LIBERALISM AND THE SOCIAL PROBLEM.

In a timely little book Mr. Winston Churchill reprints the principal speeches he has made within the last four years. They deal with such topics as the settlement of South Africa, Imperial preference, the House of Lords, various aspects of the Budget, and the social legislation of Mr. Asquith's Administration. All these things Mr. Churchill describes as interdependent parts of a large and fruitful plan of Liberal statesmanship. Doubt as to its size there is none, but so far its fecundity has not been remarkable. Mr. Churchill, however, rightly claims that it all hinges on the Budget. Finance and social policy go together. H. W. Massingham, who writes an introductory note, tells us that Mr. Winston Churchill began where his father left off as a democrat and free trader, and on those inherited instincts and tendencies he has built what both his friends and his enemies expected him to build. The political groundwork of the book is guaranteed as sound Liberalism. There is nothing in it repugnant to Mill, Jevons, or Marshall; nothing repellant to Richard Cobden himself. It is interesting to note the extra care taken not to alienate the sympathies of the "socialist" from Liberalism. As Mr. Churchill says, both the collectivist and the individualist principles have deep root in human life, and the statesman can ignore neither—when he is dependent for votes on both. The "new" Liberalism, which demands that the State shall make itself responsible for unemployment and the like, is the counter-offer to the millennium of protection. It does not matter much to Mr. Churchill that it is equally fallacious as a panacea. However, Mr. Massingham cannot see how a community desirous of realising "practical Christianity" can avoid penalising the dukes. Mr. Churchill writes well, and no doubt he fairly represents the advanced wing of Mr. Asquith's supporters. (From Dymock's.)

RECENT FICTION.

Harold Begbie's "Broken Earthenware" is as usual pretentious and serious-minded. It has an over-inflated preface which explains that it consists of studies in religious experience in a poor quarter of London. "Such religion as this book will contain is the strange elemental force which one finds in the Book of Job, in the Psalms of David, in the Pilgrim's Progress. It is the struggle of overmastered and defeated souls for liberty, for life, for escape from hell. At the beginning is the revelation that the lost can be saved." Mr. Begbie goes on to discuss "conversion" from the point of view of Professor James. The stories or narratives that follow are perhaps hardly fiction, and they are certainly not literature. No doubt there is a public in the English provinces for this sort of thing. (Hodder and Stoughton.)

Miriam Michelson's "Michael Thwaite's Wife" is a good example of the better class of American fiction. The story deals with the life history of two twin sisters, of whom one is characteristically "good" and the other "bad," and their rather tragic relationship with a boy named Michael, who comes to live with them, and whose destiny is bound up in theirs. The sentiments uttered are tolerably conventional, and the pathos is more or less artificially manufactured, but the story is eminently good of its kind. (From George Robertson.)

"Little Sister Snow" is another delightful volume of Japanese stories by the author of "The Lady of the Decoration." The numerous illustrations are daintily Japanese also. The extraordinary popularity of the earlier book is sure to create a great vogue for "Little Sister Snow," and it will be deserved. (Hodder and Stoughton, through Angus and Robertson.)

William Caine's "Boom" (Greening) is a well-written novel of modern commercial life, and in particular it is a satire on advertisement. Mr. Caine is master of a vivacious contemporary style, and he describes the life he knows very well indeed. The comedy vein is well maintained, and the types introduced are scarcely caricatures.

Two other books of Greening's Colonial Library remains from a large batch. "The Secret of the Raft," by H. Townley, as may be supposed, begins with a murder, and goes on to state that the future is a seed-plot thickly sown, tended by the ghosts of yesterday. In Chapter 5 appears the girl with the angel face, and in Chapter 11 the wolves are on the trail. There are, however, 26 chapters before happiness descends upon Dick, and Vauna hurries out into a world made lonely by self-sacrifice. "Petrovich's Revenge," by C. de Leon, is further described as "An Awful Experience." Petrovich was an anarchist, and there is a good deal about socialist propaganda in London, and particularly in Tottenham Court-road, before the story begins to develop and become a little genuinely exciting in Paris.

Captain Henry Curties writes a good invasion story in "When England Slept" (Bell). On this occasion the Germans introduced a vast body of troops into London in some disguised and underhand fashion before war was declared, and at the proper moment they simply rose and occupied the metropolis. When the raid failed they simply put on civilian clothes, and dispersed as quietly as they had come—a denouement that certainly has the merit of novelty.

Charles Foley's "Yowa the Mysterious" (Bell) was originally written in French, and it is decidedly French both in setting and sentiment. The main theme is an involved Chinese intrigue and the final overthrow of the conspirators by an earthquake that destroys the Chinese quarter. The story is not altogether easy reading, but it is interesting enough.

Mrs. Vaizey's "Old Friends and New" (Hodder and Stoughton) is a collection of bright and harmless short stories, collected from popular magazines. Most of the narratives are about young girls, and are intended to be read by them—for which purpose they are in every way suitable.

Frank T. Bullen's "Cut Off from the World" (Unwin) is a mechanically produced narrative of quite considerable length, dealing with episodes in the modern mercantile marine. The style is heavy, and the incidents scattered and confused; but where Mr. Bullen draws on his own experience of the sea he, of course, comes near the reality of seafaring life—which, after all, is tedious enough.

SHORTER NOTICES.

There is a Wessex breadth and vigour, as well as a calculated provincial roughness, about Mr. Thomas Hardy's "Time's Laughing Stocks." The lyrics range between 1909 and 1866, but they none the less achieve a certain unity both of thought and style. Mr. Hardy's manner is largely Mr. Hardy, and it does not change. The matter of the poems is the eternal substance of the love-lyric, but viewed with a certain ironic modernity. Mr. Hardy is not the man to gloss the crude realities of romance, and here and there his topic touches difficult ground. But we grow tired of the vain carpet knight among lyrists, and Mr. Hardy gives us fresh open air, and even when he speaks of "sin" it is sin with antiseptic sunshine all about it. (Macmillan.)

Lord Balcarres, in "The Evolution of Italian Sculpture" (Murray, through George Robertson), attempts to deal with the whole basis of plastic art in Italy. He has thus little space for biographical details, and the usual run of anecdotal comment is foreign to his treatment. In the same way his illustrations are chosen for what they teach rather than for any intrinsic appeal they make to the eye; and they are thus often arranged in groups to annotate some particular subject matter or craftsmanship. The period covered stretches from Benedetto Antelami to Bernini. Lord Balcarres has made an important contribution to the history of the subject, and he is a sound and safe guide to the student.

An interesting and brightly written little story of an Italian town is Mary Prichard-Agnetti's "Vicenza" (Hodder and Stoughton, through Angus and Robertson). Vicenza as a modern claim to notice can quote the fact that it is the home of Fogazzaro's "The Saint." But the history of the place goes back to the old Roman days, and, indeed, to an Etruscan settlement before that. The first hundred and fifty pages of the book summarise this long eventful history, and then follows an account of the Vicentine school of painting, which goes back to the dawn of the 14th century. A topographical description of the modern town completes a readable volume.

Another descriptive book decidedly of the better class is W. S. Monroe's "Sicily" (Page, through Angus and Robertson). Mr. Monroe is an American author of some distinction, who made a tour of the "garden of the Mediterranean" in 1908-9. The opening chapters briefly discuss the geography of the island, its aboriginal races, and the foreign immigrations of three thousand years. Then comes the story of Garibaldi. Several chapters are given to close observation of the people of Sicily, their ethnic characteristics, moral traits, and social conditions. There is also something about hostelries and brigands, religion and saints, trade and commerce, creative arts and Mount Etna. The volume is thus pretty solid and informing, and it is made attractive by some excellent illustrations, and the careful printing characteristic of Page and Co.'s publications.

John Andrew and Co. publish "Practical Bookkeeping," an exposition of the subject by Mr. H. R. Wonson. Simplicity and practical utility are the outstanding characteristics of the treatment. The various books used in an ordinary business are very fully and clearly explained, and there are useful sets of exercises. The printers have set out the matter in a very creditable way, and the publication will doubtless meet with the warm appreciation it deserves. As a general handbook to the subject it would be hard to beat.

"Songs to Dorian" (Long) is a charming little collection of verse by Thistle Anderson. The authoress in a rather absurd preface tells us that the poems spell some of them regret, some of them remorse, and others of them resignation; while all are but wayward children of impulse. Many of the verses have an Australian setting and an Australian topic. The treatment is cultivated and more restrained in expression than the preface. One section is given to some dainty versions from Heine. Thistle Anderson (Mrs. Herbert Fisher) had already proved herself a careful writer of both prose and verse, and the present little book of poems will add to her reputation.

The airship promises soon to have a whole library of technical literature to itself. One of the best of recent books on the subject is Hearne's "Airships in Peace and War," with an introduction by Sir Hiram Maxim. The first edition appeared in 1908, but progress has been so rapid that it is already out of date. The author deals specially with the use of airships in war. Sir Hiram Maxim's introduction is specially interesting in view of his recent successful experiments with an aeroplane of his own. The new edition contains six or seven fresh chapters, which form a convenient summary of progress. (From Dymock.)

DRAUGHTS.

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TO CORRESPONDENTS.

J. H., Glebe.—Never too late to mend. For yours, thanks.

T. L.—B was right in finishing off as quick as he could.

W. Thos.—For yours, thanks.

W. L. T.—For yours, thanks.

Correct solutions from F. T., J. Brown, Con, D. J. Wilson, H. Hughes, W. Thos., C. Thomas, and Mack.

SOLUTIONS.
PROBLEM No. 1195.
By G. H. Harris.

Black men—5, 14, King on 20.
A White man—28, Kings 21, 23.
White to play and win.

28—24	9—13	18—17	30—26	26—30	17—26
5—9	19—16	23—27	21—25	25—22	27—31
24—19.	And White wins.				

PROBLEM No. 1196.
By W. L. Turner, Canley Vale.
White.



Black.
Black to play and win.

GAME No. 1916.—"Irregular."
Played between Messrs. F. Turner and J. Wilson.
Mr. Turner moved.

11—15	17—13	16—20	23—18	15—24	17—10
23—19	11—16	20—25	14—23	28—19	6—24
9—14	26—23	4—8	27—18	5—9	13—6
22—17	8—11	31—26	20—27	21—17	1—10
7—11	25—22	2—7	27—23	10—14	

Black won.

A Few Endings from the International Match.—R. Jordan v A. Jordan.—Black, 2, 3, 8, 14, King on 27; White—6, 28, 29, 30, King on 1. Black—Richard to play, 14—17, 29—25, 27—23, 26—21, 17—22, 1—6, 22—26, 30—25, 26—31, 6—8, 2—9, 5—14, 23—19, 25—22, 19—15, 14—18, 15—19, 22—17. After a few more moves the game was drawn.

Ferrie v Kear.—Black, 13, 20, 21, 24, King on 15; White—28, 30, 31, Kings 1, 32. Kear to move, 24—27, 31—24, 20—27, 28—23, 13—17, 22—13, 27—32. Drawn.

Jackson v Kear.—Black, 10, 15, 17; White, 30, 32, King on 6. Jackson to play, 10—14, 6—9, 15—18, 9—13, 8—27, 13—22, 20—16, 22—27, 16—11, 27—24, 11—7, 24—19, 7—2. White won.

CRITICISMS.

Re Game 1901, Dundee, played between Messrs. Hawken and Hilliker, Dunedin. After the 30th move, 27—23, the position stands—Black, 2, 3, 5, 7, 10, 16, 19, 20; White, 14, 17, 18, 22, 23, 26, 30, 32. 2—6 was played, and the game was drawn. I play 20—24, 30—26, 24—27, 18—15, 28—31, 15—6, 2—27, 22—25, 10—24, and win.

NOTES.

There are numerous minor tourneys on the way. With regard to getting on a tournament for the championship of New South Wales, a few persons have intimated they are in favour of one being held, but this does not warrant any further steps being taken; the players seem apathetic. As for team matches, a series might be arranged between the clubs. A small subscription would permit of the purchase of a trophy to be played for. It is hoped that some of the clubs have considered the matter of providing a trophy. The Glebe W. L. Club, being one of the leading clubs, might consider the matter.

It is proposed to play for the world's championship in 1911. The tourney is to be held at London. The first prize will be £200.

SYDNEY AND SUBURBAN CHESS UNION.

The tenth annual general meeting was well attended. Mr. V. A. Spence (president) in the chair; and amongst others present were Messrs. Berry, Ridley, S. Crakanthorp, L. S. Crakanthorp, Tyler, Largent, M'Naught, Calvert, Joseph, Dobell, and Prowse. Mr. W. J. Amor kindly presented medals to the winning teams, and Messrs. M'Naught, Dobell, and Prowse received them on behalf of the Sydney School of Arts, Marrickville, and Granville clubs. The election of office-bearers resulted as follows:—President, Mr. Spence; vice-presidents, Messrs. Bignold, Spencer Crakanthorp, Joseph, and M'Naught; hon. auditor, Mr. Volckman; hon. secretary, Mr. Tyler; adjudicators, Messrs. Calvert, L. S. Crakanthorp, S. Crakanthorp, and Largent; delegates to N.S.W.C.A., Messrs. Bignold, Dobell, L. S. Crakanthorp, and Prowse.

The following resolutions were carried:—"That captains of each team hand into each other simultaneously the names of players in order of strength, and all forfeitures to be made at the bottom boards." "That for the coming season the contest to be held in two grades, A and B, with a minimum of seven players, and the visiting team shall advise the number of players who are available for that match." "That it be a rule that all games in those matches be played out." "That the captains may declare any game a win or draw, and in the event of disagreement either captain may demand that the game be played out on or before the succeeding Thursday at one of the Sydney chess rooms." "That any two weak suburban clubs may combine to enter either an A or a B team, for the suburban competitions."

The council's tenth report stated:—"For the A grade four clubs entered—Manly, St. Leonards, Sydney School of Arts, and Sydney Chess Club. A keen and hard struggle existed throughout the season, as Manly, St. Leonards, and Sydney School of Arts came equal with five wins each, and Sydney Chess Club with three wins only, as they were obliged to draw out of the last two matches. The three first clubs played off, the winners proving to be Sydney School of Arts, who, therefore, win the A competition. The B competition turned out to be a complete failure, owing to the fact that the Sydney School of Arts, at the last moment, declared their inability to raise a team of five players, which is very much to be regretted, considering their large membership roll. There was practically no interest taken in this grade as St. Leonards also forfeited a number of their matches. The winning team, however, is the Marrickville, with one ahead of Manly. In the C grade six clubs entered—Glebe, Marrickville, St. Johns, Granville, St. Leonards, and Sydney School of Arts. The whole of the matches were keenly contested, and the supremacy rested with the last new club to join the union, viz., Granville, with eight and a half wins. They are to be heartily congratulated on making such a good first appearance. Sydney School of Arts coming next with seven wins. The following is the complete list of scores:—A grade, Sydney School of Arts 6 wins, Manly 5, St. Leonards 5, Sydney Chess Club 3; B grade, Marrickville, 8 wins, Manly 5, St. Leonards 4½; C grade, Granville, 7½ wins, Sydney School of Arts 7, St. Leonards 5½, Marrickville 4½, St. Johns 5½, Glebe 1."

Mr. N. F. Tyler, the new hon. secretary of the S.S.C.U., is a player who is rapidly coming to the front—full of zeal and energy, and the union is fortunate in securing his services. Mr. Amor, his predecessor, has set a high standard, and we have no doubt Mr. Tyler will maintain it.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

The recent selection of military and brass bands to play in Hyde Park and other open spaces in the city during the present year may be hopefully taken as the beginning of a kindlier interest in the art of music by the municipal council than has hitherto been shown. The great musical associations of Sydney, notably those permanent bodies, the Royal Philharmonic, the Amateur Orchestral, and the Liedertafel societies, have long desired to see this civic interest extended to a free use of the Town Hall for their concerts. Resident entrepreneurs complain that the higher rent charged for the hall whenever the tariff is (necessarily) raised for the introduction of star artists, such as Paderewski, Melba, Kubelik, Calve, and the like, really amounts to a heavy tax against the importation of the world's best into this new country. The subject, as a whole, was avoided by Mr. Lachlan Beaton when he presided at the annual meeting of the Sydney Amateur Orchestral Society on Monday, but he did touch upon the advantages which would arise from the patronage of the art by the various State Governments and civic authorities, and quoted the London County Council as spending £10,000 a year upon open-air music. Signor Hazon considers that one of the greatest drawbacks to such operatic enterprises as "Madame Butterfly" is the want of any kind of official "countenance" or of assured private subscription sanctioned by long custom. He remarks that in Milan the great opera house La Scala is conducted by national trustees, and the municipality grants the free use of the theatre for the great carnival season, free heating and lighting, and supplies half the members of the orchestra from the municipal band, and sends in all the girls from the Municipal School of Dancing. There are also 450 boxes, the individual, and often inherited, property of influential families, who have to pay extra charges according to the value and position of the box amongst the five tiers, and in this way a guaranteed sum of about £4000 is always available. The public is also educated up to a higher tariff than the modest 7s 6d to 1s, which the Australian managements generally exact. The lowest price for a downstairs seat is eight francs, and for a "sit down" amongst the gods five francs, whilst the best seats are 30 francs. Apart from the great conservatoriums of Italy, at Milan, Naples, Bologna, and Palermo, all State supported, and the one at Pesaro, founded by the munificence of Rossini, every town has its school of music (State subsidised), and every town its "popular school of music," consisting of free evening classes for the working people. In addition to all that, the great cities of Italy have splendid municipal bands, which play twice a week in the public squares and gardens. After dwelling eloquently upon all this, Signor Hazon declares that there is such a deep and genuine love of music in Australia that the movement towards a similar cultivation of the art will eventually advance to its goal far more rapidly than in England. In the meantime the "small beginnings" should be encouraged.

Some idea of the theatrical and musical activity of New York may be gathered casually from a January issue of the "Herald," in which Mme. Fremstad and Herr Burrian were singing in "Tristram and Isolde," with the great Italian baritone Amato, at the Metropolitan Opera House; whilst the same night Signorina Cavalieri and the tenor Zenatello were appearing in "Carmen" at the Manhattan Opera House; and Miss Geraldine Farrar, the American star from the Berlin Opera House, was singing Marguerite in "Faust" at the Brooklyn Academy of Music. The same evening Mme. Tetrazzini was starring with the Manhattan Opera Company as "Lucia" at Pittsburg. Miss Hilda Spong, whose girlish Rosalind is still remembered here, was at that time appearing in an important role at Wallack's Theatre in J. M. Patterson's new play, "A Little Brother of the Rich," a title given in derision to a young man who sacrifices everything to gain position in New York society. The "Herald" publishes a portrait of Miss Spong, looking beautiful as ever, but melancholy, and reviews her impersonation in the new piece in the following terms:—"Miss Hilda Spong, who gave a strong and at times even brilliant portrayal of a heartless woman who changed husbands with less concern than gowns, and who, as some one says in the play, would try to flirt with her own pallbearers, did the most that could be done with an unsympathetic and even repellent part. Miss Spong looked very handsome and worked valiantly." Charles Klein, the American dramatist so lately introduced here in "The Lion and the Mouse," has produced a new play, "The Next of Kin," at the Hudson Theatre, where some strong and clever scenes were revealed, though the piece as a whole did not quite grip the audience.

During the week Weedon Grossmith's farcical comedy, "The Night of the Party," has been produced in Melbourne at the Princess's Theatre by Rupert Clarke and Meynell, a firm actively before the public in the sister capital with "Sergeant Brue," which is running strongly towards the Easter production of "The Arcadians" at the Theatre Royal. "The Night of the Party," though new to Australia, has been successfully and continuously staged in the United Kingdom and the United States ever since its original production at the Avenue Theatre, London, in 1901. Mr. George Willoughby and his new company made their debut in the piece, which is described as furnishing drolleries akin to those in "Betsy," "Fourteen Days," and "High Life Below Stairs," but with more compression and a faster movement. An avalanche of fun follows upon the indiscreet visit of Lady Hampshire to the rooms of Mr. Frayne, which visit coincides with a party given by Frayne's valet, Crosbie, to a number of upper servants. Mr. David James is highly praised for the quiet finish of his "gentleman's gentleman" as Crosbie, and Mr. George Willoughby appeared as the butler to the Duke of Hungerford, much looked up to by the other servants owing to his pompous bearing and assumed knowledge of etiquette! Miss Mab Paul as an adventuress, and Miss Violet Paget as the erring Lady Hampshire, were included in the new company, which, and the new piece, are said to have been received with boisterous enjoyment.

Henry Kolker, who was here as leading man in the Margaret Anglin pieces, is now supporting the famous Russian actress, Mme. Nazimova, and when the last mail left America was with the star at Kansas, where he was high in praise of the Australian people and their stage, which, "though not developed as the American, is closer to the people, so that actors are given a courtesy and consideration seldom accorded them in this country." American papers also speak of Miss Helen Lowell, the inimitable "Miss Hazy" of J. C. Williamson's production of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch." This artist is credited with the hit of her career in a similar character in a farce called "The Lottery Man," in which she appeared as a woebegone companion at the New York Theatre in January.

Theatrical news from London shows that about the time "The Merchant of Venice" was revived here by Mr. Oscar Asche, the same piece was being put up for a run at the Court Theatre. A new and youthful actor from Miss Lena Ashwell's company, Mr. Arthur Phillips, was to appear as Shylock, a character he played to the Portia of Miss Ellen Terry at Winchester lately. That actress advised him to "try it in London;" and as there is to be a "new and young and beautiful Portia," whose name is withheld, the revival will be wholly experimental as regards the principals. The best-tried actors are being engaged for the support, however, and amongst these is Mr. Cyril Keightley as Bassanio, a character he played with Kyrle Bellew and Mrs. Potter in Sydney in his young days fourteen years ago.

Mme. Clara Butt and Mr. Kennerley Rumford have been engaged by Messrs. J. and N. Tait for a tour of South Africa, opening next March, and so planned as to enable them to give about 20 concerts, returning to England during May (1911). At the end of next year it is probable that they will revisit the Commonwealth, and subsequently tour India, the East, and Canada.

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SCIENCE NOTES.

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THE ACTION OF TUTIN.

Dr. Frank Fitchett contributes to the "Transactions of the New Zealand Institute" an interesting paper on the physiological action of tutin. In 1777 Captain Cook landed a ewe and a ram at Queen Charlotte Sound, with a view of stocking New Zealand with sheep. Two days later they were both dead, and no better result was experienced with goats. Many thousands of sheep and cattle have shared the fate of those pioneers. The poisonous plant is known by its Maori name, tutu. It is an attractive shrub, growing profusely in the rich soils the first settlers naturally choose. The first issue of the "Lyttelton Times" notices the death of three out of five cows just landed. Most of the early farmers or run-holders lost a quarter of their stock through tutu; and many children died through eating the ripe berries which are not unlike black currants. Birds and rabbits eat the plant with impunity; but a stray elephant who fed on it died in four hours. The tutu plant belongs to the genus Coriaria, whose eight or ten species are met with in Europe, North America, China, and Japan, the Himalayas, and New Zealand. The European species is sometimes used to adulterate senna with fatal results. The American and New Zealand species are said to be identical, and this is one of the arguments for a former land connection. It is more likely that the order is very ancient, and has died out except in the isolated regions named. Only the seed of the berry is poisonous. From the strained juice the Maoris made a non-intoxicating wine; though the drink is not always above suspicion. The poisonous principle can readily be extracted from the seeds with ether; and a bold experimenter, Christie, took several doses in 1890. The first substantial advance in the chemistry of the subject was made in 1900, when the crystalline glucoside "tutin" was isolated. The immunity of birds is probably explained by the fact that they do not digest the seeds. The author gives a long and interesting account of the action of the poison on all sorts of animals. It is found that the central nervous system is specially affected.

POST-GLACIAL TIME AND ANCIENT EGYPT.

In the last few years several investigators, working on the rate of recession of Niagara and other waterfalls, have been led to estimates of the post-glacial period that are surprisingly short, some of them restricting it to 6000 years. Mr. Grenly points out how this conflicts with what we know of ancient Egyptian civilisation. When the mountain ranges of the northern shores of the Mediterranean basin were heavily glaciated it is plain that the whole Mediterranean region must have been affected. But the monuments of the First Dynasty in Egypt carry us back considerably more than six thousand years, and they are the work of a thoroughly settled and civilised people. Behind this, again, lies the period of prehistoric culture, which goes back another two or three thousand years. In all this time, according to Professor Flinders Petrie, there is no evidence of climatic change, and this would seem to push the last glacial epoch much further back.

EXTINCT MARSUPIALS.

Mr. Woodward contributes to the "Geological Magazine" a note on the extinct marsupials of Western Australia. Diprotodon bones were found in the Kimberley district in 1882, and near Lake Darlot in 1895. Early in 1909 some further specimens were found at Point Malcolm; but these results were overshadowed by the discovery later in the year of over 2000 bones in the Mammoth Cave, Margaret River. This proves that the marsupial became extinct only in quite recent times. Some fifty-two species of marsupials have been chronicled from Western Australia, many of them having become almost or quite extinct in recent years.

INVISIBLE LIGHT.

The physical cause of light is a wave motion in the ether. The eye is an organ which is excited by waves of a certain length. Longer and shorter waves do not affect it. Hence there is a long range of radiation, which the eye does not perceive. In that part of the spectrum which we do see there are wave-lengths that affect us more particularly as heat, and wave lengths that affect us more particularly by the ability to promote chemical action. If we explore the end of the spectrum beyond the red with a thermo-electric pile we find the first class of wave extending far beyond the region of visible light, and similiarly the chemically active rays extend far into the ultra-violet. The terms heat, light, and actinic rays may be used, so long as we do not forget that we are dealing with ether waves all the time. The same wave length, may, of course, affect the eye as light, induce a current in a thermo-pile, and promote a chemical reaction on a photographic plate. This point is well brought out by using a diffraction grating to obtain the spectrum. The quantity and distribution of radiation in the spectrum when a prism is used varies considerably with the prism substance; owing, of course, to the fact that various forms of glass, or rocksalt or quartz absorb different wave lengths, and only what they do not absorb is subsequently measured. With a diffraction spectrum the maxima of heat and luminosity coincide; though the heat curve still stretches far into the infra-red. Langley's bolometer, an electric contrivance used to explore the spectrum, will detect a temperature difference of .00001 degrees C. A hollow glass prism filled with carbon bisulphide shows many of these ultra-red and ultra-violet rays. Filled with iodine such a prism allows only the heat rays to pass. The ultra-violet rays may be made visible by allowing them to fall on bisulphate of quinine, in which they induce fluorescence. Using the analogy of music, we may say that the light waves cover one octave. At least two octaves of ultra-violet can be detected, and at least seven octaves of infra-red. As a detector of ether-waves, therefore, the eye is a very poor device. Moreover, what has been said does not exhaust the list of ether waves by any means. For example, there are the electro-magnetic waves discovered by Hertz, and the waves a thousand feet or more in length that are utilised in wireless telegraphy; and it is, of course, possible that there are forms of ether-waves still unknown to us, and Sir Oliver Lodge would doubtless quote them as the vehicle of thought transference, while Mr. Stead would talk poetically of Julia floating on their bosom.

STAR FISH ON A STEM.

A very interesting sub-phylum of the echinoderms is known as Pelmatozoa, characterised by being fixed by a stem. The survivors of the group are few in number, and confined to one class, the Crinoidea; but formerly they were very abundant, and attained a remarkable development, so that four classes are necessary to contain the fossil forms. Of the crinoids there are 12 recent genera, of which eight retain the stalk throughout life, the remaining four losing it in the adult stage. The stalked forms are confined to considerable depths, and long escaped notice, as did also the temporary stalks of the early stages of the stalkless forms. The long stem is best seen in the Pentacrinidae, our knowledge of which has a curious history. Fossil forms were known long before the living animal was found; as far back, indeed, as the seventeenth century. Some of these had stalks 18ft long. The fossil remains are the hard internal skeleton of carbonate of lime, and they were long known as stone-lilies. In the eighteenth century a living specimen was brought from the West Indies and described as a sea-palm tree. Many hundreds of extinct forms are known, particularly in Silurian, Devonian, and carboniferous rocks. In 1836 Vaughan Thompson found a small Pentacrinus attached by a minute stalk, which later on shrivelled up, leaving a free swimming animal, readily recognised as the common feather star. The Royal Society refused to publish this incredible observation, but its truth was soon demonstrated. Little "stone-lilies" were, in fact, abundant in European waters all the time naturalists were in hot dispute about them.

BURRAGORANG VALLEY.

(BY W.A.C.)

Concerning the discovery of Burragorang there are divers stories. When summed up, I hand the honours to the stockmen who had charge of Governor Macquarie's farm at Camden. From there cattle strayed and found their way first by "the Old Mountain" gap into the Nattal, and from thence to the Wollondilly, which is only about five miles distant. Here they stayed, and at length, when the stockmen followed the tracks of other animals attracted by their instincts, and the bellowing of wild bulls, they found a luxuriant vale and plenty of wild cattle roaming therein.

No doubt an illicit trade in cattle sprang up because a proclamation was issued by the Governor, in which severe penalties were enacted against persons found killing, or in unlawful possession of beef or cattle in that neighbourhood. Perhaps the valley was subsequently made the principal "duffing" ground by a few nomadic settlers who are known to have frequented it in the early days, and who had "got wind" of its great suitability for such purposes. It is generally supposed, too, that "The Hollow" written of by Rolf Boldrewood in his book "Robbery Under Arms" is identical with Burragorang. I do not share this opinion; in fact, I have very strong evidence, obtained from a man who knew the country well, that a "hollow" existed west of Bargo, and this evidence was obtained long before "Robbery Under Arms" was written.

The occasional literary sketches that have been written on the Burragorang Valley poorly describe its scenic beauties. Its potential wealth, its immense economic possibilities, stagnating at the western gate of the city, have not been dreamt, realised, or written of; but I hope to prove that the most valuable gifts that nature could bestow were cast into this abysmal cradle when it was born—raised up—glistening with the brine of a receding sea. To the tourist I say, see Burragorang from the "Jump Up" before you die. And in these petrol-driven motor racehorses there is nothing to prevent us from leaving Sydney on a long summer's day, at 6 or 7 a.m., having lunch on the "Jump Up," and reaching town again at 7 p.m.

And what a glorious outing it would be! Just now the undulating and strangely moulded hills and ridges are carpeted with nutritious green grasses. Fancy spinning along through the winding vales in the midst of them at 25 miles per hour, with the cool, sweet morning air fanning your cheeks and winnowing the germ-laden city dust from the cavities of your lungs, as you insensibly mount upwards until you reach an altitude of 2000ft on the top of the mountain, and peep over breathless and awed at a silver streak that wriggles along like a snake as far southward as the eye can reach, for thus appears the Wollondilly, bathing the feet of the wall-girdled hills. Verdure-clad clearings, and the sombre foliage of the river oaks, give the river banks a kind of artificial bordering, and an English aspect. Farther out, in striking contrast, is the dark, irregular fringe formed by the dark, wooded, terraced, yet declivitous ridges, that have toppled over pell-mell from the very tops of a mountain chain that once reached across solid from wall to wall, now rent asunder by a magnificent chasm sometimes more than four miles wide.

Above the tall forest trees that hide the rugged breasts of the hills tower the ochre red walls of sandstone, in many places 1500ft thick. Silent fortresses of stone, guarding and often marking by strange shapes—to some extent chiselled by aeolian detrition—the very spot where lodes and mineral beds peep from beneath their stupendous coverlet. Take for instance the singular square tower that caps the Southern Peak, and which can easily be discerned on a clear day standing out in bold relief in front of the skyline to the west. It is beneath its felsitic basements that miners are picking out the richest silver ore in the world. Away to the left, looking northward, we get a good view of the Cox River valley mouth and its splendid bordering of blue mountains. With a pair of field glasses the buildings of Wentworth Falls are determinable. On the right hand side, below where the Cox and Wollondilly waters meet—from thence known as the Warragamba—the steep walls of the mountains close in. Perhaps in ages gone by Titanic forces attempted to dam back the rushing retreat of Neptune's torrents into the bosom of present Australian seas. Southward there is another meeting of the waters. The Nattal meanders along beneath the feet of "The Jump-up," and joins with the Wollondilly just a few chains below where the main road crosses its treacherous bed. A noble vista of mountain and vale stretches south-easterly for fully six miles—an unbroken view of part of "the world's great altar stairs" that might be equalled but never excelled.

SUPPOSED PREHISTORIC LANDMARKS.

Not much more than a mile from the Fig tree—a well-known object situated at the base of the "New Mountain" zig-zag-road over the cliffs, about 800 feet above sea level, as you journey towards the Cox River, and perhaps a quarter of a mile from the road on your right hand, stands a large cavernous sandstone that, perhaps, in the remote past rolled away from its original bedding in the mountain walls overhead. This is called "The hands on the rock," and inside its cavernous face will be found the most unique ideographic drawings on this island continent. The most peculiar thing about them is the property contained in the pigment used, and which causes the imprints of the red coloured human hands to stand out from the stone face, after the same manner in which a good picture does, when viewed from the proper angle of vision. This I found, by actual measurement, to be about three chains distant. As you draw nearer the hands grow indistinct, but not so as to be undiscernable. They are ordinary-sized human hands, shapely, with tapered fingers. There are right hands and left hands; fifteen in all; and on close examination, I am led to believe that the face of the rock, which is of a dull-grey colour, was prepared to receive the impression of the pigmented hands that were then placed upon it. One of these hand impressions had a portion of the arm attached to it, but, owing to disintegration, it was now rather indistinct. On the right hand side, low down, the faint outline of a human figure was determinable, particularly the ribs. This was not painted but drawn—in black and white. The right hand side of the stone being more exposed to westerly winds than the left, the process of disintegration was more rapid, so that the lower part of the figure drawing had crumbled away. No living man can tell anything about it. The oldest aboriginal knew nought of it in the early days of the settlement. Competent ethnologists, however, say that red hands on the shields of prehistoric races were the symbol of war, and white the symbol of peace, and that the red hand symbol is traced across this continent, the Polynesian islands, and right into the kingdom of the mysterious Incas, even to Central America. This unique prehistoric relic is the subject of a very interesting paper by that distinguished ethnologist, Mr. R. Etheridge, Curator of the Sydney Museum. Of course there are other ideographic carvings similar to those found on the rock-shelters around Port Jackson; but they are recent compared with this, and are usually drawn with charcoal, or cut in the stone facets with stone implements. There is one other peculiar thing that I mention with a view to ventilating it, that is the "Fairy rings"—two of them—that are close to Summer Hill homestead. These circular rings appear to have been formed for some ceremony, and the grass never grows on the probable ceremonial track that surrounds the central grassy plot. That they have been formed by artificial means I have no doubt, but no one knows when, or by whom. The tribes that roamed in the valley in the early days of our history knew nought of it.

PRIMITIVE AGRICULTURE.

Notwithstanding the richness of the alluvial flats that border the Wollondilly, the Cox, and the Nattal, agriculture is still in a very primitive state; yet the district has a reputation for raising maize, pumpkins, and pigs. The soil is fertile enough to grow anything. Oats, apples, pears, stone fruits, and vegetables could be raised with ease and profit, when compared with the labour and cost that poorer soils demand before producing dividends; and yet the local market established by the increasing demands of the Yerranderie mines obtains its chief supplies from the city. Even the horse feed required for the up-keep of nearly two hundred horses is supplied by the produce merchants in Sussex-street. The natural facilities for irrigation cannot be surpassed. There is an abundance of water, and the black friable soil that reaches to a depth of 15ft rests on a boulder drained bed. There are fortunes in Burragorang for farmers who will erect a small pumping plant and irrigate with the simple open drain system. With an increasing mineral field spreading over the hill country to the west a good local market is assured. All that are required to make the valley boom with agriculture are modern farming men with a little Hawkesbury College training. There is evidence that Nature is supplying the manure to the flats that reach out from the steep ridges that are bedded on the upper marine strata. Here crystals of selenite are abundant, and it is well known that they result from the decay by oxidation of iron pyrites, and that liberated sulphuric acid will combine with the lime of shells that are abundant in this marine formation. It, therefore, is reasonable to assume that there is chloride of sodium changed into sulphate of soda, and from the latter into sulphate of lime when brought into contact with the shells, which I have already stated to be abundant enough to bring about these chemical changes; and that the water that percolates from these pervious strata to the low lands beneath is the natural carrier of this valuable fertilising agent,—viz., gypsum.

ITS MINERAL WEALTH.

The mineral wealth of the valley itself consists of coal and shale. It is hemmed in by coal measures that belong to the Upper Bulli series. The seams on the northern end of the valley are large, clean, and of excellent quality. They are usually found at an elevation of about 1200ft above sea level. There is a splendid outcrop about half a mile distant from Riley's store, on your right hand as you descend the mountain. It is 7ft thick, and a bulk assay gave the best steaming results. Farther on, and still on your right hand, in Brimstone Gully, there is a fine outcrop about 10ft thick. Almost opposite the seam near Riley's store, on the opposite side of the Wollondilly, and immediately behind Charleville homestead, there is what I consider a beautiful seam of coal. It is equal to the best Lithgow, of the very same structure, and about 4ft thick. A projecting ledge of rock protects this seam from wind and weather, and the face of it betrays no sign of deterioration.

Up the river, about eight miles from the Nattal crossing, beneath the peak known as Tonalli, which is quite 2000ft high, and situated in the northern angle formed by the junction of the Wollondilly and Tinkettle Creek, there is a seam of kerosene shale. It will assay up to 67 per cent. of hydro-carbon, and 15 per cent. of fixed carbon, and I have no doubt would improve the other desirable 10 per cent. of the former if driven on. As it stands it is a splendid shale for the manufacture of all the by-products that torbanite is famous for. I have visited this seam in company with Mr. G. A. Stonier, A.R.S.M., who now holds an important position on the Geological Survey Staff in India. He considers it the best mining venture that he had seen in his division, and advised driving; but at that time the only source of profit in shale was the exportation of an 80 per cent. quality, and the cost of hauling it up that mountain graded road of 1 in 6 was enough to banish speculation in shale or anything else from the valley. This seam is traceable for two miles along the side of the mountain. There is a small seam of dirty coal above it, and, of course, another one beneath it. It is 1200ft above sea level, and the mountain is steep enough to permit the shale being sent into the river by means of shoots. Just here I would like to remark that the coal seams appear to get thinner on their southern side. They are dipping east about 60ft in the mile. A railway is wanted. None of these things will find a market until the means of transport are given. I have shown that there is plenty of coal, and the natural corollary of that is cheap coal. If we are to become a centre of industrial activity we must have coal at a much lower rate than it has been in the past. This might be an unpalatable statement, but it is too true.

IF THE VALLEY WAS SUBMERGED.

It may appear paradoxical to say that our inheritance in Burragorang would probably be quadrupled if the valley was submerged, but I think it will be an easy matter to prove this an indisputable fact. Just now public attention is being directed to the Warragamba water scheme, and I have no doubt about the valley being converted into an inland lake in the near future. It does appear to me that whether the second greatest watershed in this richly-endowed State is harnessed to a drinking supply for Sydney—the predestined capital of Australia—or for the creation of agricultural and industrial progression, the Warragamba dam must soon stand in the first grade of national enterprises. A flying survey of its natural endowments is sufficient to prove it a scheme worthy of the statesmen who mould the destinies of this Southern Britain.

The whole of the hill country lying westward, and reaching right to the western falls of the dividing range at Mount Werong, bounded by the western railway on the north, and the southern line almost to Breadalbane on the south, yields a splendid tribute. The Cox and the Kowmung unite but a few miles from the site of the proposed dam. The former drains the Blue Mountains and valleys south of the north-west boundary of the dividing range, whilst the latter, taking its rise from the feet of Mounts Werong and Shivvering, drains the high plateau of the Boyd country to the north-west, and the greater part of the main range, culminating at Mount Werong on the west. An immense volume of water passes through this magnificent Kowmung chasm. It is one of our most rapid mountain streams, and when in flood will flow at the rate of 10 miles per hour. South of Mounts Coolong and Shivvering a large area of rugged country drains into Tomit Creek, and from thence onward to the Wollondilly, leaping a precipice about 150 feet high, a few miles from its junction. The roar from these falls in a rainy season can be heard nearly 10 miles off.

The impounded waters that this great natural reservoir would contain would open up a water way navigable to steam barges beyond the low-level bridge over the Wollondilly on the way to Yerranderie. It would also back sufficient water to navigate similar craft to the junction of the Little River and the Nattal. So that a railway via the only possible Bluegum Creek route—even if it terminated at the junction aforesaid—would bring to the markets the splendid coal and shale deposits that I have pointed out. It does not require an over-fertile imagination to see the piers on the eastern and western shores of the proposed lake supplying the barges with these products, that are now almost inaccessible. Some say that it is possible to use the dam in connection with a lock, and make navigation possible right through from Penrith. I am not competent to speak on this phase.

But the foregoing statement must not be read to indicate that the submergence of the valley negatives the construction of a railway beyond the junction of the Nattal and Little Rivers. It would not be a lion in the path by any means. Under existing conditions a high level bridge would have to be built across the Nattal, in order to reach the eastern banks of the Wollondilly, and the present hydrographic surveys go to prove that the cost of the route that a railway must take to be beyond reach of flood waters would not be increased very much by the height the impounded waters would attain at this distance from the Warragamba dam.

Beside all this, it is not too much to say that all the tablelands westward of the valley are rich in minerals. There are rich silver and copper veins in the felsitic hills lying southward as far as Bullio, where tin might yet be found. The country between the Wollondilly and Yerranderie has only been scratched, and geologists write and speak optimistically of alluvial and lode discoveries that are to be made in that neighbourhood. I have seen huge blocks of kerosene shale that have fallen from the parent seam in the hills near Coolong. Between there and Mount Werong, commencing close to Benduck, there is a mineral belt nearly 20 miles wide. There are pipe formations between Mount Coolong and Shivvering that give great promise of gems. A splendid diamond has already been picked up at Mount Werong. The bouldered bed of the Kowmung is auriferous. Wherever the flood waters find an obstacle that makes a ripple you can get a good prospect with a dish. It is very fine, but diggers have shown me gold got there that was shotty.

The country between Yerranderie and the Kowmung as far easterly as Christy's Creek is similar to that worked for silver at the former, and deposits of silver and other ores will be found leached out on the felsite-porphyry floor of the permo-carboniferous rocks, if not already found near the Kowmung. Further eastward on Butcher's and Lacy's creeks kerosene shale is reported. There are immense and almost virgin forests of valuable timber waiting to be cut by the modern mills.

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Parramatta	May 6, 7
Illawarra Suburbs	May 20, 21
Fanciers' Association	June 2, 3, 4
North Sydney P., P., and C. Society	June 16, 17, 18
Poultry Club of N.S.W.	June 23, 24, 25

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

J. Gordon: A fowl losing the use of its legs may be due to several causes, and as there are no particulars given it would be difficult to tell to what your case is due. Secure a copy of Diseases of Fowls, published by the Agricultural Department, to be had at the principal booksellers.

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H. McL.: Incubator chickens can be procured at the various poultry auction rooms, but usually in the spring months. To secure them at the present time you will be obliged to advertise for them.

It is said the poultry entries for the Royal Agricultural Society's show are again large, and are supplemented by some from both Queensland and Victoria. As a rule, interstate exhibitors score well at the Sydney shows. Not that the general quality of the fowls is better than here, but rather when exhibitors determine to patronise shows beyond their own State a few of the very choicest specimens they possess are sent to compete; but no matter from where, they are always welcomed here.

At the lately held annual meeting of the Fanciers' Association of New South Wales there was a satisfactory attendance of members. The report, which told of the affiliation of several agricultural societies, the Goulburn Poultry Club, and suburban societies, was adopted. The balance-sheet showed a favourable credit to the society. Mr. A. Arnold was elected president; vice-presidents, Messrs. Gosche, Holley, Waldron, M'Donnell, Greenwood, and Hoskins; committee, Messrs. Meservy, Parker, Devine, Jones, Willet, Murray, Noble, Bolton, Adams, S. Wilson, and Muller; auditors, Messrs. M. Minogue and J. Wilson; hon. treasurer, Mr. H. E. Pier; hon. secretary, Mr. F. L. Martin.

The poultry section at the Albion Park show was composed chiefly of district birds, of which a good number were exhibited, and the quality fair, all being shown in pairs. Mr. W. H. Tombs made the awards.

There is never a show, and perhaps never will be, but what there is some grumbling at the judging, and in none more so than in the Orpington classes. With the object of securing more satisfactory adjudication, the Orpington Club lately determined to appoint by ballot of the members a few gentlemen to act as judges on the Orpington classes at forthcoming shows. The ballot was lately taken, and resulted in favour of Messrs. Forster, Hadlington, Ramsay, Waldron, and Butcher, exactly the same people who have for years been making the awards. Now that the members have selected their own judges, perhaps they will take their gruel more kindly from them than when the societies made the same selections.

The establishment of a new firm of salesmen, Messrs. Strachan and Rone, in Barlow-street, is an event of interest in the poultry trade. It is understood that the firm have made arrangements for extensive operations.

Some time ago, when there was a threat of a flood of South Australian Government graded eggs to be placed on the Sydney market at 11d per dozen, people here asserted that it could not be legitimately done, unless the South Australian Government either stored them free or otherwise subsidised the industry. A retort came from that State that everything would be done in a commercial way, and above board. The following is a paragraph from the poultry expert's report:—"A balance-sheet and profit and loss account have been submitted to the Minister, but the figures are not published, because it is considered undesirable to disclose the business of the members of the circles. It would be ridiculous to ask an ordinary business house to publish a statement of its position and transactions, and the same argument applies with equal force to the circles, which are paying interest on advances and meeting all charges for everything done for them by the Government. In the circumstances, it can be justly said that the business belongs to the members of the circles." If there is nothing to conceal, why not supply the figures? For 10 or 11 years the Government here carried on the cold storage of eggs and rabbit business to the extent of many thousands of pounds annually, a duly audited balance-sheet being sent to the press each year, and it is said that, except the first year, everyone showed a profit, which was utilised the succeeding year in reduced charges to the clients.

EGGS: IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

Unlike the other products of the farm eggs the world over for the past decade have shown a continuous rise in price. Cereals and stock of all sorts have their fat and lean years in price, but whether in England, the Continent of Europe, Russia, Canada, the United States, the Dominion of New Zealand, or our own Commonwealth, each year witnesses a higher average figure per dozen than its predecessor. The United States never were very large exporters of eggs to England, their biggest year being in 1903, the quantities sent being now trifling. Canada's exports a few years ago were considerable, but have dwindled. The supplies from European countries have also fallen off, and even Russia, which was the largest sender to England, appears to have reached high-water mark, the first eleven months of 1909 showing a considerable reduction. The shortage of exports is not due to a restricted supply, but to the increased prosperity of all the exporting countries, which is always accountable for a greater home consumption of this product, and enhanced prices.

Coming to Australia, the same thing holds good. Ten or twelve years ago there were surplus quantities in both this State and Victoria, the very low price of fourpence per dozen being general in the spring months. Victoria attempted to work them off by export. However, at best these were but a few hundred thousand dozens, and it is said those who exported never attempted it the second time. The fact is that that State, as here, has been enjoying such prosperity that, rather than being exporters of eggs, they became importers, the few hundred dozens of five years ago having mounted up in 1909 to nearly three-quarter million dozens. Except Western Australia, this State tops the Commonwealth for prices, averaging 10 to 15 per cent. more than Victoria, and 75 to 100 per cent. higher than South Australia. Such advantages have been responsible for a greatly increased suburban production. In 1905 our imports, chiefly from South Australia, totalled 1,452,297 dozens, while in the year now past they totalled 855,812 from that State, the addition of the Queensland and Victorian interchanges failing to reach the million dozens, or the satisfactory reduction of about half a million dozens in four years. Hitherto South Australia has been the one State whose consuming ability was not equal to production, and depended largely on Western Australia, Victoria, and this State for an outlet. Despite Government assistance and a great amount of optimism, it appears from the figures supplied in the poultry expert's report that that State is the only one which shows a contraction in production, the exports in 1909 falling short of 1907 by 720,063 dozens, the money value decrease from 1908 being over £17,000. The exports were all interstate, none going to England. What with the egg circles and Government grading, the past year, most poultry men here thought the exporting price in Adelaide would have been considerably enhanced per dozen. This has scarcely been the case, the increase being but one farthing per dozen, or, to be strictly correct, .26d per dozen, more than in 1908, which is certainly not equal to the rise in other States. Appended are the Adelaide f.o.b. figures per dozen for the past five years:—1905, 8.69d; 1906, 9.23d; 1907, 9.25d; 1908, 10.86d; 1909, 11.06d. An explanation of the decreased Adelaide exports may, as in other States and countries, be found in a larger local consumption. Concerning the increase in production in this State the figures supplied in the commercial column of Thursday's "Herald" are conclusive. For two months of the present year 7534 cases of eggs were received by rail, against 4932 for the same period in 1909.

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LAW REPORT.

IN BANCO.

(Before the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Cohen, and Mr. Justice Sly.)

MAPS IN RELIEF.

Banks v Williams.

Mr. Lamb and Mr. Weigall, instructed by the Crown Solicitor Mr. J. V. Tillett), appeared for the defendant in support of a motion to make absolute a rule nisi to set aside the verdict found for the plaintiff, and for a new trial. Dr. Brissenden and Mr. Curtis, instructed by Mr. Arthur Deery, appeared for the plaintiff in support of the verdict. The action, which was tried before Mr. Justice Pring and a jury of four, at the November-December sittings, was brought by William John Banks against James Leslie Williams (nominal defendant, on behalf of the Government), to recover £5000 compensation for alleged breach of contract. It appeared that an agreement was entered into between plaintiff and the Department of Public Instruction, by which he was to supply 2000 relief maps of the State of New South Wales, according to certain specifications, the Government taking 500 of them each year, and paying £1 10s per copy. Plaintiff commenced the work, and he complained that before a reasonable time had elapsed the Government repudiated the agreement, and refused to be bound by it.

The defendant asserted that plaintiff was not ready and willing to completely perform the work; that the Government did not cancel the contract before a reasonable time had elapsed, and also that plaintiff exonerated and discharged the Government from the performance of the agreement. The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff with damages £2015 9s 7d, and defendant now appealed on the grounds: (1) That the verdict was against evidence; (2) that the damages were excessive; (3) that his Honor was in error in directing the jury that the plaintiff was entitled to recover as damages, in addition to the profits he would have made from carrying out the contract, the amount expended by him in preparation for the fulfilment of the contract; (4) that his Honor was in error in directing the jury that the plaintiff was entitled to recover as part of the damages certain of the items in the account put in by plaintiff; (5) that his Honor should have directed the jury that the plaintiff was not entitled to recover as damages any portion of the rent of the premises leased by him from the City Council; (6) that there was no evidence on which the jury could reasonably find what the profits would have been if the contract had been completed.

This case stands part heard.

EQUITY COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice A. H. Simpson, Chief Judge in Equity.)

AN INTERIM INJUNCTION.

Mr. Clive Teece, instructed by Mr. W. F. Drew, appeared on behalf of William F. Cropley, Alfred Ernest Cropley, and Cropleys, Ltd., boot manufacturers, for an interim injunction to restrain Henry Robert Garden from selling, or otherwise disposing of, certain goods, the property of Cropleys, Ltd. It was stated by affidavit that the plaintiffs had withdrawn from the defendant the agency for the sale of their goods in the Manning River district, and that he had refused to deliver up the unsold portion of goods supplied to him.

His Honor granted an injunction, to continue till March 18.

(Before Mr. Justice Street.)

DISPUTE BETWEEN HUSBAND AND WIFE.

Macpherson v Macpherson.

Mr. J. A. Browne, instructed by Mr. E. A. Beeby (of Messrs. Beeby and Co.), appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Leverrier, instructed by Mr. M. J. Brown, for the defendant. This was a suit brought by Charles Peter Farquharson Macpherson against Mary Macpherson, his wife, for a decree that defendant was trustee for him of certain property at Leichhardt, and for an order directing her to execute all necessary conveyances for the purpose of vesting it in him. Plaintiff's case was that defendant bought an allotment of land with house thereon, as his agent, and paid £240 for it out of moneys furnished to her by him. Defendant denied this statement, and said she purchased the property for herself out of moneys given to her by her daughter.

His Honor said he could not give credence to the plaintiff's version of the transaction, and dismissed the suit, with costs.

INDUSTRIAL COURT.

(Before the President, Judge Heydon.)

CIGAR TRADE BOARD.

Mr. Thomas Chad was recommended as employees' representative vice Mr. Henry Boraz, resigned.

PICTURE FRAME AND ART OVERMANTEL WORKERS.

His Honor decided to recommend the constitution of a board for the industry of picture frame and art overmantel workers in the counties of Cumberland and Northumberland. His Honor refused to extend the board to the remainder of the country in the first instance. If the industry in the country town wished it afterwards the award could be extended.

Mr. T. E. Spencer was recommended as chairman, and the following as members:—

Employees: William Henry Ford, 16 Steel-street, Surry Hills.

Employers: Daniel Bernard, 430 George-street.

IN PROBATE.

(Before Mr. Justice Street.)

A CONTESTED WILL.

Clayton v Clayton.

Mr. Gordon, K.C., and Mr. Monaghan, instructed by Messrs. Harold T. Morgan and Morgan, appeared for the plaintiff, George Augustus Clayton; and Mr. Innes, instructed by Mr. J. H. Clayton, for the defendant, James Clayton. In this suit plaintiff claimed to be the executor of the will of Mrs. Jane Clayton, late of Marlborough-street, Drummoyne, who died on August 2 of last year. He took the usual steps to obtain probate of her will, which was made on August 21, 1908, but a caveat against it was entered by the defendant. Plaintiff alleged that the testatrix was of sound and disposing mind and memory when her will was made, and therefore prayed that probate of the will be granted to him. Defendant, in his defence, denied that testatrix was of sound and disposing mind and memory, charged that she was not, and that she did not know and approve of the contents of the will.

His Honor, in delivering his reserved judgment, said he was satisfied that the evidence of the defendant was not such as could safely be accepted. From his observation of him in the witness-box, and his demeanour, and the light thrown on his testimony by other evidence, he believed him to be guilty of exaggeration and distortion. The conclusion he had come to on the whole evidence was that the testatrix was on August 21, 1908, possessed of the necessary testamentary capacity to make a valid will on that date, and that she knew and understood the contents and approved of the will then executed. On the question of the costs of the suit the defendant having contested the will in the interests of no one but himself, and having failed, he must pay the costs. Plaintiff's application for probate was granted.

BANKRUPTCY COURT.

(Before the Registrar, Mr. F. H. Salusbury.)

CREDITORS' PETITION HEARD.

Saxton and Binns, Limited, v E. Venables and J. Millard, trading as Venables and Millard. An order was made sequestrating the estate. Mr. Lloyd, official assignee.

CREDITOR'S PETITION WITHDRAWN.

Samuel Brown Henderson, trading as J. C. Young and Co., v Frank Doyle. Leave was given to withdraw the petition.

CERTIFICATE APPLICATIONS.

Re Joseph Clarke. The Registrar found that bankrupt had kept no proper books, and had contracted debts without having at the time any reasonable or probable grounds of expectation of being able to pay. Bankrupt's losses, the Registrar added, were contributed to by floods and bad seasons. The operation of the order of discharge was suspended for six months.

Re William Joseph Horton. Order of discharge granted.

Re Elizabeth Fraser. Order of discharge granted.

Re Antonio Comino. The Registrar refused the order of discharge on the grounds set out in the report of the official assignee, all of which, he considered, had been amply proved out of the bankrupt's own mouth. The Registrar added:—"In particular, I am of opinion that the bankrupt wilfully and dishonestly paid certain creditors in preference to others, and kept for himself and had failed to account for some £130 out of a balance of £420 purchase money of his business received in June, 1908."

Re Leslie Gross. Order of discharge granted.

Re William Arthur Williams. The Registrar found that bankrupt had failed to keep proper books. Operation of the order of discharge was suspended for one day.

SINGLE MEETINGS.

Re Giovanni Pulle. Meeting closed, and examination concluded.

Re John Hills. Adjourned to March 16.

Re Lily Smith. Adjourned to March 16.

EXAMINATIONS UNDER SECTION 30.

Re John Hills. Adjourned to March 16.

Re James Beveridge. Adjourned to March 31.

DISTRICT COURT.

(Before Judge Murray.)

SMITH v COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY, LIMITED.

Mr. Perry, instructed by Mr. P. K. White, appeared for the plaintiff, Alfred George Smith; Mr. Russell, instructed by Messrs. Kent and Gaden, appeared for the defendant, the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney, Limited. Plaintiff sued to recover £30 on the following facts:—He procured on October 14 last a draft for £30 from the Bank of Adelaide in London, and directed to the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney, Limited, for payment. He retained in his possession the first authority for payment, and posted the second authority to Sydney, addressed to himself care of the G.P.O. Plaintiff arrived in Sydney on Saturday, November 27, applied at once at the G.P.O. for the letter he had addressed to himself, and was informed that there was no letter for him. He applied again on Monday, November 29, with the same result, and then went to the defendant bank and presented his first authority for payment, when he was informed that on November 16 the second authority had been presented, and the amount paid to the person presenting the document. The chief defence set up was that payment of the amount of the draft had been made in good faith, and in the ordinary course of business. The defendant bank pleaded that it had satisfied discharge of the bill by virtue of the provisions of the Bills of Exchange Act of 1887, more particularly with respect to sections 60 and 71.

His Honor found in favour of plaintiff for the amount claimed, with costs.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

(Before Judge Backhouse and juries.)

Mr. Herbert Harris, Crown Prosecutor.

POSTPONED.

Edward Tanner pleaded not guilty to a charge of abduction, and the case, on the application of Mr. C. A. Walker, for the accused, was again postponed, on the ground that witnesses for the defence were not ready, to next Quarter Sessions, or such other Court as the Attorney-General may appoint.

John Joseph Strange pleaded not guilty to a charge of having on December 27 last, at Redfern, assaulted Alexander Stewart, so as to occasion him actual bodily harm. On the application of the Crown, on the ground that a material witness was ill in the hospital, the trial was postponed to next Court, or such other Court as the Attorney-General may appoint. Light bail was allowed.

ACQUITTAL.

Horace Alexander Hardie, a young man of 21, pleaded not guilty to a charge of having on January 7 last, at Randwick, assaulted James O'Donnell, thereby causing him actual bodily harm. Mr. W. Oliver appeared for the defence. After evidence had concluded, his Honour asked the jury if they could honestly believe the evidence on either side. He thought it was one of those cases in which it would be impossible for a jury to convict on the evidence for the prosecution. The jury thereupon stopped the case, and acquitted the accused, who was then discharged.

ASSAULT IN COMPANY.

George Godden pleaded not guilty to a charge of having, on February 15 last, at Sydney, in company with others unknown, assaulted a Frenchman named Francois Guorio, mate of the Emma Lawrence, and robbed him of a watch, revolver, and money. Constable Moore, in the absence of the official interpreter, offered to interpret the prosecutor's evidence, and, having been sworn in, performed the duty to the satisfaction of the court, with the consent of the accused. The jury convicted the accused, and he was sentenced to imprisonment with hard labour in Goulburn Gaol for three years. His Honor gave accused permission to petition for release after six months, provided he obtained a passage to some other country, as he was a sailor.

The Court adjourned till Monday.

LAW NOTICES.

MONDAY, MARCH 7.

SUPREME COURT.

Term List.—New trial motions: Banks v Williams (part heard); O'Keefe and others v Williams (part heard); Townsend v Townsend, Fisher and Samson co-respondents. Divorce appeal: Townsend v Townsend, Fisher and Samson co-respondents.

In Equity.—Before his Honor the Chief Judge in Equity—At 10 a.m.: Re estate of J. H. Douglas, motion to pass accounts and for commission; re estate of J. J. Cramp, ditto; Ford v Leahy, hearing. Before his Honor Mr. Justice Street—No. 1 Jury Court—At 9.30 a.m.: Municipal Council of Sydney v Fleay, order for final leave to appeal. Before the Deputy Registrar—At 11 a.m.: Manning v Russell, to tax costs; same v same, ditto; same v same, ditto.

In Probate.—Before his Honor the Probate Judge, at No. 1 Jury Court, at 10 a.m.: Motions to pass accounts and for commission; motions for power of sale, etc; and the following miscellaneous motions: Charles Mathison, payment out; Thomas Ewin, maintenance; Sarah Wilson, rule absolute.

The following accounts will be taken at the Probate Office:—Alexander Campbell, 10.30; William Anning, 11.30; William Henry Campbell, 12.

In Bankruptcy.—Before his Honor the Judge, No. 1 Jury Court—At 9.30 a.m.: Re Edward George Jerrom, hearing of order nisi for attachment. Before the Registrar—At 10 a.m.: Creditors' petitions, Sargood Bros. and Ellis and Co. v T. J. Bloomer, M'Culloch Carrying Company Prop., Ltd., v George Parkin; certificate application, Michael Somers; single meeting and public examination, A. E. Williamson, John Daniels, and Samuel James Gaw; examination under section 30, Alfred Hirst.

INDUSTRIAL COURT.

Before his Honor Judge Heydon—At 10 a.m.: Summonses for penalty, to take plea and adjourn, Mitchell v Sydney Meat Preserving Company, Ltd. (4), same v Hamilton, same v Slattery (2); for judgment, re Shop Assistants' Federation of Australia, for board for Bathurst; re same, for board for Newcastle. For hearing: Re Engine-driving and Firing (Coast) Board, for leave to appeal; re Waterside Workers' (Deep Sea Wharf Labourers) Board, for nomination of employers' representative; re Clothing (Tailoring) Award, by Marcus Clark to vary same; re Unskilled Labourers' (Building) Board, by Builders' Labourers' Union for leave to appeal; re Coachmaking (Road) Board, by Amalgamated Coachmakers, etc., Society, for leave to appeal: New South Wales branch of the Australian Boot Trade Employees' Federation, by union to vary award.

DISTRICT COURT.

Before his Honor Judge Backhouse—At 10 a.m.: Dynan v Smith (for judgment), Vale v M'Lachlan and others (part heard); Vale and another v M'Lachlan and others, Measures v D'Elboux, Dryden v Kiel.

Note.—The list will be called over punctually at 10 a.m.

Before the Registrar, in No. 2 Court—At 10.30 a.m.: Crabtree ats. Cox. At 10.45 a.m.: Newton ats. Rudge.

CONSTABLE OR CIVILIAN.

CHARGE OF IMPERSONATION.

At the Water Police Court on Friday, before Mr. Love, D.S.M., John Atkinson, 22, a labourer, was charged that, on February 9 last, he impersonated a constable of the New South Wales police force.

Constable Clarke said that about 7.30 p.m. on February 9 last, he saw accused and another man walk into No. 3 police station. Accused went over to the officer in charge and said to him, "You have a warrant for this man," pointing to the one with him, "for theft." The accused was asked if he were a constable, and gave a reply in the affirmative, accused adding that he was attached to No. 4 police station, and that his name was Constable Hickey. When the officer in charge got into communication with No. 4 station by telephone accused walked out with the other man. There was no constable by the name of Hickey attached to No. 4 station, nor was accused a member of the police force.

Constable Batten, attached to the Waverley station, said that on the 1st inst. a man named Taylor approached witness with the accused and said, pointing to the accused, "This man arrested me at Darlinghurst three or four weeks ago, saying that he had a warrant for my arrest on a charge of stealing a horse and sulky, and he took me to No. 3 police station." Witness asked accused if he had anything to say, and accused said that he was not in Sydney at the time, having only arrived a few days before.

Thomas Taylor, a bricklayer's labourer, residing at 82 Boundary-street, Paddington, said that on February 9 he saw accused about 7.40 p.m. Accused, who was a stranger to him, tapped him on the shoulder, and said, "I am a police constable, and have a warrant for your arrest for stealing a sulky." Witness said, "Then come along over; we'll soon settle that." Together they went to Darlinghurst station, where accused said there was a warrant out for witness's arrest. A conversation ensued between accused and the station officers, after which he, at accused's request, signed his name and address, and then walked out of the station. As they left the station door accused said to witness, "I am glad it is a mistake."

At this stage, upon the application of the solicitor for accused, the further hearing was adjourned until Friday next.

ROBBERY AT SARGENT'S.

TWO PERSONS CONVICTED.

Elsie Robinson, 30, a married woman, and Harry Darcy, 22, labourer, were charged yesterday, before Mr. Clarke, D.S.M., at the Central Police Court, with having stolen 15 electro-plated forks, 12 knives, 13 spoons, one entree dish, and other property, valued at £3 17s, the property of Sargents, Ltd., at Sydney, between October, 1909, and February, 1910.

Constable David Rankin stated that when he interviewed both the accused in a house in Albion-street concerning some cutlery which was identified as Sargent's property, and which had been pawned by Robinson, the female accused said that she had been working at Sargent's, but that the articles were portion of her property when she kept a restaurant in Melbourne during Fleet week. On searching the premises, witness found, in a small safe on the front balcony, three forks, salt pot, and entree dish, which bore certain brands, and which Robinson claimed as hers. Further investigation revealed a serviette, said to be part of the missing property, in Darcy's hamper. Darcy explained that the things got mixed up in the house. He also denied that it was a fact that he had not done any work for four months, and had simply waited until the woman got a job, when she would steal something, and he would bring it home for her to pawn.

Evidence was given by a pawnbroker to the effect that the female accused had pledged some of the property produced.

Henry Hammill, manager of Sargents, Ltd., identified the property produced as Sargent's. Witness said that he had employed the female accused on many occasions as a casual hand in the catering branch, Castlereagh-street, during the past 18 months or so. In that period the firm had missed a good deal of property.

At this stage both the accused elected to be dealt with summarily, Robinson pleading guilty, and Darcy not guilty.

Darcy said he was a labourer, living in Albion-street. He stated he knew nothing about the stolen property, and that the serviette might have found its way into his hamper during moving operations. They had only been in this State about 12 months, having come from Victoria.

Sergeant Mankey, subsequent to the magistrate expressing his determination to convict the male accused, submitted some facts which he thought the Bench should know before imposing sentence. He said that the woman had simply slaved to try and keep "this loafer," and that she had been tempted and encouraged to do what she had done by him. He submitted that the man deserved the greater part of the blame for her delinquencies.

Mr. Clarke said that he would give Robinson the best chance he could. He fined her 40s, with the option of a month, and allowed her a month in which to pay the fine, upon finding security. Darcy was fined £5, or two months' hard labour, and was given 14 days to pay, also on finding surety.

POLICE COURTS.

PADDY'S MARKET DEALER FINED.

In the summons division of the Central Police Court on Friday, before Mr. Maitland, D.S.M., Henry Resch was proceeded against by Arthur Kench, an inspector under the Pure Foods Act, on an information charging him with selling adulterated jam. The inspector said that on Saturday night, February 5, he visited Paddy's Market and saw the defendant at a stall calling out, "Here you are, three tins of jam, guaranteed pure, for sixpence." Witness questioned defendant about the jam, and was assured that the jam was pure. He accordingly purchased three tins, for which he paid sixpence. These tins witness submitted for analysis, with the result that he decided to take the present proceedings. Witness also seized the whole stock. Mr. Hamlet (Government Analyst) stated that the jam had been damaged by heat. The inside lining of the tins had become incorporated with the contents, and the jam was unfit for human consumption.

Defendant pleaded guilty. He stated that he was not aware that the jam was other than he had said. Defendant was fined £5, with the alternative of a month's imprisonment.

Mr. Bathgate, Crown Law Office, appeared for the prosecution.

A DEAL IN PIANOS.

William Edwin Martin, 45, a piano dealer, was charged before Mr. Love, D.S.M., on Friday, at the Water Police Court, with having, between July 31, 1908, and January 25 last, stolen divers sums of money amounting in all to about £1146 16s 9d, the property of Edward Joseph Powell.

Edward Joseph Powell, carrying on business at 57 Flinders-street, as a piano and organ dealer, said that about June, 1908, he had a transaction with accused about a piano. Witness said that during 1908 he entered into an arrangement with accused to buy pianos on commission. Accused was also authorised to sell pianos for witness and pay in all moneys received, unless the transaction was on credit, when it was accused's duty to give witness the name and address of the purchasers. The expenses and profits were divided. Witness in giving accused money with which to buy pianos mostly gave him cheques. The cheques produced on the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney were paid to accused for pianos he said he was purchasing. When accused purchased pianos and did not straight away sell them he had to send them to witness. From July, 1908, until January 15 last accused continued to work under the arrangement, and during that time accused had no authority to deal with cheques received from customers. From witness's book a list had been prepared showing a full account of all the pianos for the purchase of which Martin received cheques, but which had not been accounted for. Witness had, between July, 1908, and January, 1910, given cheques amounting to £1146 16s 9d to the accused for the purchase of pianos, in regard to which he had received no profits.

At this stage the hearing was remanded until Monday next.

ALLEGED FALSE PRETENCES.

POLISHING UP THE FURNITURE.

ACCUSED DISCHARGED.

Percy Reginald Glasgow, 30, a fireman, was charged at the Water Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Love, D.S.M., with having, on February 23 last, obtained from Thomas Parsons the sum of £2 by means of false pretences, namely, that he would give permanent employment to Parsons as a French polisher at the rate of 8s per day, with intent to defraud.

Constable Kelly said that about 10 p.m. on 28th ult he had the accused in custody, and charged him with the present offence. Senior-sergeant M'Intosh asked accused if he could tell him (the sergeant) of any contracts he had, to which accused replied, "I have no contracts; don't you give me credit for getting money from mugs like them. If I didn't some one else would. Only for those mugs squeaking I would have made enough money to get out of Sydney."

Oscar Martinson, licensee of the Excelsior Hotel, Foveaux-street, Surry Hills, said that on February 23 accused called at his place, and asked witness if he required his furniture polished. On receiving a negative reply accused said that he would like to get the job, even if he got nothing out of it, as all he desired was to advertise his work. Witness agreed to give accused 2s 6d, and later two men arrived with the accused and commenced operations on his furniture, rubbing it well with some mixture. On the following day three more men came, and they started the rubbing process. At the time the furniture appeared brighter for the treatment, but now it was worse than before it was touched. On the third day, in consequence of something witness told them, the men knocked off.

Thomas Parsons, a station hand, said that he was sitting in the Belmore Park on February 12 last, when he saw accused, who spoke to him, and asked him if he was looking for work. Witness asked him what sort of a job he had got, and, learning it was French polishing, said it was no good to him. Accused said anyone could do the work, so witness agreed to start on Monday. Accused said, "I shall want a deposit of £2 as security for your honesty, for I may take you to a house containing valuables." Accused said the wages would be 7s a day for a start, and 8s per day when he proved his efficiency. Witness not having the money on him at the time, said he would get it from the bank later. The following morning witness saw accused, and subsequently gave him £2. Later accused took witness to the Excelsior Hotel, where work was to be commenced. Witness and another man were set to rub the counter and the bar and fittings over with a stain composed of permanganate of potash. Accused purchased some linseed oil and methylated spirits, of which he made the polishing mixture with, while witness and another man rubbed up the furniture. The following day three of them were on the polishing work. From something he heard witness asked accused for his money back, failing which he said he would give him in charge. Accused promised to try to get it, and later said to witness, "Don't you go blabbing about, and I'll go down the street and see if I can get a couple of chaps with premiums and pay you back." The following morning witness got half-a-crown from accused, who said, "If you keep quiet I'll be able to pay you back." All witness had got back was half-a-crown.

This closed the case for the prosecution.

Mr. Love said that the evidence did not disclose a charge of false pretences, consequently he discharged the accused.

Later in the day Percy Reginald Glasgow was remanded until Wednesday next on two charges of stealing, one of vagrancy, and four of false pretences.

THROWN INTO THE RIVER.

A WOMAN'S BAD PLIGHT.

At the Newtown Police Court yesterday, before Mr. King, S.M., Patrick Hickey, aged 49, labourer, Joseph Allison, aged 40, labourer, Edward Johnson, aged 35, labourer, and Charles Nicholson, aged 44, labourer, were charged with having, at Marrickville, on February 24, assaulted Florrie Norton.

Florrie Norton, a married woman, living apart from her husband, and residing with her sister at Redfern, stated that she had been living in a tent with the accused Hickey at Sutherland. Nicholson was camped alongside them. Hickey and Nicholson got drunk, and left the camp on Tuesday, February 22. The same day she packed up her clothes and came to Redfern to her sister's place. Next day she went to Cook's River by tram, and sat on the bank of the river in the afternoon, never dreaming that she would meet any of the accused. She was sitting in sight of the bridge. Three young men, strangers to her, came along and sat on the flat near her. The four accused were seated on the bank higher up the river. The three young men, strangers to her, shouted beer, and Allison went to the "pub." three times with the billy-can. She only had a small drop. A disturbance started. Hickey used bad language, and she told him that when in the bush she was unprotected, but now she had police protection, and he had better be careful. Nicholson hit her on the mouth, and split her lip. She fell, and Hickey kicked her all over the body. Hickey then said, "Let us throw her into the river," and Hickey and Nicholson caught her by the arms and threw her into the river. She struggled out, but they came at her again, and to avoid them she sprang into the river. She could swim, but she felt faint, and cried out for help, and a young man named Wright rescued her from the water just at a time when she was drowning. She was carried to the bank, but remembered nothing more until she came to her senses in the hospital. She only had half a mug full of beer that afternoon, and was perfectly sober. She was bruised all over the body. Three stitches had to be put in her lip, she had a black eye, and for a day or so her life was dispaired of.

Archibald Campbell, of independent means, stated that he and Wright and another young man were at the river that afternoon. They saw the woman there, also the four accused. The men said they had come a long journey, and witness and Wright each gave them a few shillings to get food, but the woman suggested beer, and one of the accused went four or five times to the hotel for a billy of beer, which the accused and the woman drank. One of the men pushed the woman into the water, but she scrambled out. The other twice she tumbled in of her own accord. She was stupid with drink. She had no blood on her face when taken out of the water, and witness did not see any of the men assault her.

William Wright stated that it was Allison who pushed the woman in the first time. It was only a foot of water. She fell into mud more than water. After that she rolled in the water herself. Witness pulled her out twice. The last time she was nearly drowned. She seemed boss over the four accused, and they advised her to go and sit down. She was drunk, and was very demonstrative. The accused and the woman were quarrelling among themselves. No one struck her, as far as witness could see. Witness got tired of her conduct, and was walking away when they sang out she was drowning, and he went back, and, with assistance, got her out of the water once more. Campbell then said to the men, "If you don't look after the woman I'll put the police on to you." Witness, Campbell, and the other man walked away, and left them there.

The magistrate said he would give the men the benefit of the doubt, and discharge them.

MEN OF AFFAIRS.
NEED PROPER FOOD TO SUPPLY THE BRAIN.

A medical journal comments on the restless brain worker of our large cities, and refers to the fact he thinks he knows as much about the needs of the brain, when he is tired and shows brain fag, as a trained practitioner.

He is inclined to spur up the tired organs by some stimulant or perhaps quiet his complaints with some narcotic, and this plan goes on until suddenly he collapses, for brain fag is a sure sign that the elements that compose the brain are being more rapidly used up than replaced by the food.

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TENDERS.

MUNICIPALITY OF NEWTOWN.
ANNUAL CONTRACTS.
TENDERS are invited and will be received up till 4 o'clock p.m. on TUESDAY, the 15th inst., for the Annual Contracts, viz.:—
(1) Scavenging for the Camden, Enmore, O'Connell, and Kingston Wards. (2) Supply of Blue Metal. (3) Supply of Blue Metal Screenings. (4) Supply of Ballast. (5) Supply of Sand and Cartage. (6) Cartage of Tar. (7) General Cartage. (8) Brick-paving Footpaths. (9) Tarpaving Footpaths. (10) Tarpaving Carriageways. (11) Street Watering. (12) Sweeping Woodblocks. (13) Printing and Stationery.
Specifications may be seen and all particulars obtained from the undersigned at the Town Hall during office hours. Tenders which must be accompanied by the required deposit, in each case to be addressed to the Mayor, and endorsed "Tender for ——."
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
By order,
A. MACKINTOSH, Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Newtown, 4th March, 1910.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF SYDNEY.
TO CONTRACTORS.
TENDERS will be received by the undersigned for—
(a) The SUPPLY and DELIVERY OF ELECTRIC CABLES, until 3 o'clock p.m. on MONDAY, March 7th, 1910.
Tenders must be in accordance with Specifications, etc., which may be seen on application at the office of the City Electrical Engineer, Queen Victoria Markets, and a copy obtained upon payment into the City Treasury of the sum of One Guinea by way of deposit, which receipt will be returned only upon receipt of BONA-FIDE tender.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Tenderers please note that they must pay their cash deposit into the City Treasury, and not enclose same with their tenders, otherwise their TENDERS WILL BE REJECTED AS INFORMAL.
THOMAS H. NESBITT, Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Sydney, February 22, 1910.

Stores Supply Committee, 4th March, 1910.
RABBITS.
TENDERS for the supply of RABBITS for the Hospitals for the Insane, Government Asylums for the Infirm, and N.S.S. Sobraon will be received at the Stores Supply Department, 15 Young-street, Sydney, up to 4.15 p.m. on THURSDAY, 17th MARCH.
Tender Forms and further particulars on application.
A. BERCKELMAN, Executive Member.
(98-91)

Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage, 341 Pitt-street, Sydney, 4th March, 1910.
STEEL AND C. IRON VENTILATORS.
PETTY TENDERS will be received at this office until 2 o'clock on MONDAY, the 14th of March, for the Supply and Delivery on Trucks at Darling Harbour of 8 VENTILATORS OF M. STEEL and C. IRON. Further particulars may be obtained at Comptroller of Stores' Office.
(61-94) WILLIAM HOLMES, Secretary.

TENDERS are invited and will be received at our offices up to noon on FRIDAY, the 11th MARCH, 1910, for the PURCHASE as a Going Concern of the Business of
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LOT 3. Book debts, estimated good ... £421 5 10; Do., doubtful ... 12 18 4; Do., bad ... nil. [illegible]
£[illegible]
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The usual 10 per cent. deposit conditions. The highest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.
PERRY and JOHNSON, Incorporated Accountants.
Challis House, Martin-place, Sydney.

Stores Supply Committee, February 22, 1910.
TENDERS for the SUPPLIES and SERVICES enumerated hereunder will be received at the Stores Supply Department, 15 Young-street, Sydney, up to 4.15 p.m. on the dates mentioned:—
10th MARCH, 1910.
BRUSHWARE.
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UNIFORM TRIMMINGS, GLOVES, etc.
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PURCHASE OF CUTTINGS AT STATE CLOTHING FACTORY.
LEATHER.
Tender forms and further particulars may be obtained on application.
A. BERCKELMAN, Executive Member.
(9b-88)

Department of Agriculture, Sydney, 23rd February, 1910.
TENDERS FOR ERECTION OF COTTAGE, DUCK CREEK.
TENDERS will be received at this Office up to noon on the 15th proximo, for the Erection of a Cottage at Duck Creek, near Ballina. Plans, specification, and conditions of contract may be inspected at this Department, or at the Wollongbar Experimental Farm, near Lismore. Tenders must be endorsed "Tenders for erection of cottage, Duck Creek."
H. C. L. ANDERSON, Under Secretary.
(S-a44)

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of a large block of BUSINESS PREMISES in George-street West for the SUNSHINE HARVESTER COMPANY.
Plans and specifications may be had upon application to ROBERTSON and MARKS, Architects, Martin-place.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the ERECTION and COMPLETION of VILLAS at Randwick and Rose Bay. Plans and specifications may be had upon application to the office of the undersigned.
B. HADLEY, Architect, Bull's-chambers, 14 Moore-street.
Tel., 1720 City.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for Alterations and Additions to Residence at Drummoyne. Plans and specification may be obtained at my office.
GEORGE W. DURRELL, A.R.I.B.A., Architect, Terry's-chambers, 74 Castlereagh-street.

TENDERS invited for the Erection and Completion of 2 Cottages at Randwick. Tenders close 12th inst. Plans, specification, on application to E. WILLIAMS, Architect, Erskineville-road, Newtown. Tel., 430 N.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until noon of Thursday March 24th, for the Erection of New Methodist Church at Woodford, Blue Mountains. Plans, etc., may be obtained from Mr. T. M. WILSON'S STORE, at Woodford; or from ALFRED G. NEWMAN, Architect, 82 Pitt-st, Sydney.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS invited for the following works:—SHOP and DWELLING, EASTWOOD; COTTAGE, at WOOLLAHRA. Plans and specifications on application to J. E. JUSTELIUS, Architect, 41 Castlereagh-street. Tel., City 1067.

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TENDERS are invited for the Erection of THREE RESIDENCES at Enmore. Particulars may be obtained from G. SYDNEY JONES, Architect, A.R.I.B.A., 124 Pitt-street.

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TENDERS invited for erection of a W.B. Cottage, Concord. GORDON M'KINNON, Architect, 41 Pitt-street.

TENDERS for PURCHASE of FREEHOLD TELEGRAPH HOTEL, GOODOOGA, leased at £260 per annum, close 22nd March. A well-built 2-story brick structure. WINCHCOMBE, CARSON, and CO., Sydney.

TENDERS will be received to 18th instant for Erection of Brick Cottage in Roseville-avenue, Roseville. Plans, etc., at VENTNOR, Chandos-street, St. Leonards.

TENDERS invited for Painting Cottage. Apply Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Garland, Cameron-st, Rockdale.

TENDERS wtd., at once, for remov. of W.B. Room, 14 x 16, Auburn. R. W. J. Harley, 8 Moore-st, city.

TENDERS required for Sewerage, 8 Cottages. Tenders close on Saturday. Apply F. Burden, Arncliffe.

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TENDER Connect Cottage Sewer, Iolani, corner Williams and Elswick sts, Leichhardt.

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Further particulars on application.
Tenders to be endorsed "Tenders for Road Plant," and forwarded as above stated.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
J. M. REES, Shire Clerk.
Coonamble, March 2, 1910.

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WANTED, Tenders for Additions Weatherboard Cottage, [illegible] Marrickville.

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LIFE IN LONDON AND THEREABOUT.

(CHRONICLED BY HENRY W. LUCY.)

After the Battle.—Proposed Truce.—"The Voice."—A Record Surgical Fee.—An Adventurous Peer.

WESTMINSTER, Jan. 28.

The reflections of the Unionist Peers turned upon their supporters in the London press, who almost physically urged them over a steep place into the sea, would probably find most adequate expression from the lips of Lord Milner. "D—— the consequences," was his terse fine-old-English response to warning as to whither the unconstitutional action of the House of Lords was leading them. The consequences are not at this time of writing fully recorded. But it is probable that at the meeting of the new Parliament Mr. Asquith will find himself reinstated in power with a majority exceeding the nice rotundity of 100. Nor will he be hampered by ambiguity as to its mission and authority. The Lords threw out the Budget Bill on the specific ground selected, or, as malicious critics put, it, invented, by themselves, that it was desirable the nation should have an opportunity of determining the matter at issue between the two Houses. The nation replies with the magnificent, rarely attained, majority of 100 in favour of the Government. It is admitted, even by the newspapers directly responsible for the quandary in which the Lords find themselves, that the Budget must go through.

But that is only a part of the consequences Lord Milner heroically defined. In reiterated speeches, delivered almost up to the close of the polling, the Prime Minister and the Chancellor of the Exchequer put in the foreground, as the most urgent and momentous issue, the constitutional question raised by the action of the House of Lords. In every borough and county division throughout Great Britain the Liberal candidate followed this lead. As a matter of necessity connected with the conduct of national affairs, the first task taken in hand by the new Parliament will be the enactment of the belated Budget. That disposed of, it will settle itself down to the even graver constitutional question. The journalistic mentors of the Opposition, whilst conceding the Budget, are, with suspicious unanimity, suggestive of receipt of a tip from high quarters, angling for a compromise. They hint that the leaders of the Opposition may not be indisposed to concede the privilege of the Commons to exclusive control over financial matters, if the majority of the House of Commons do not insist on limiting their veto in respect of general legislation.

This assumption of the right of a beaten party to dictate terms to the conqueror is as childish as it is impudent. If Mr. Asquith were inclined to listen to a proposal his public utterances have put outside the sphere of consideration, he would find himself a leader without an army. After one of the most arduous electoral contests of modern times, fought upon the plainest issue, the men who have won the day are not likely to stand quietly by and see the fruit of their labours surrendered. In defiance of the counsels of their most experienced leaders, forcing the reluctant hand of Lord Lansdowne, the backwoodsmen made the quarrel, fixing their own time for bringing it to a head, and must, with Lord Milner, disregard the consequences.

Throughout the lengthy, occasionally exciting electoral campaign, what is welcomed in newspaper reports as "The Voice" has scored many triumphs. It was particularly pungent from pit and gallery during the opera-comique tour of the Peers. To interrupt a speaker on his legs with swift rejoinder to a passing sentence is an old custom in the House of Commons. The Nationalists had almost monopoly of the game till the Labour members appeared on the scene, and occasionally ran them close in point and humour. The most effective byplay of this kind happened in connection with the controversy surging around tariff reform. On the eve of the opening of what proved to be the last session of the Balfourian Parliament, relations between the Premier and the member for West Birmingham were exceedingly strained. Announcement was publicly made that Mr. Balfour proving recalcitrant in the matter of protection, Mr. Chamberlain and his friends would decline to act with the official Opposition, forming their own camp with their own whips. Mr. Balfour suddenly, unexpectedly, coming to heel, the broadening fissure was bridged. Mr. Chamberlain not only consented to sit on the front bench with his right hon. friend, but undertook during his enforced absence the duties of leader of the Opposition.

In debate on the Address the question of Irish Government cropping up, Mr. Walter Long, possibly with his eye on the imminence of a general election, went out of his way to protest his sympathy with Ireland. John Dillon, following, extolled what he described as "a brave speech." "The hon. gentleman," said Mr. Chamberlain, when his turn came, "is unusually appreciative of the merits of my right hon. friend. His manner reminds me of the way of the boa constrictor, which—well, what word shall I use?—which salves its prey before devouring it." Quick came a voice from the Irish benches: "Same as you did Balfour!" I do not remember a Parliamentary retort happier or more effective. At the moment the House was crowded in every part, and had been worked up to the pitch of excitement by Mr. Chamberlain's acrimonious attack. The laughter, rising to a shout from both sides, interrupted the speech for several moments. Mr. Chamberlain was usually at his best when interrupted. He stood now with head bent, waiting for the laughter, still rising peal on peal, to cease. He was evidently thinking of a retort. It did not come. Certainly, it was not spoken.

It is reported from Brussels that Dr. Lepage, the surgeon called in to perform an operation upon King Leopold shortly before his death, has sent in a bill for a fee of £4000. As he was in attendance for only 10 minutes, this figures out at a rate of remuneration equal to £400 a minute. Morell Mackenzie received a handsome sum for attendance upon Emperor Frederick. But it did not approach this fantastic fee, which exceeds even Harry Lauder's scale of nightly remuneration. Moreover, the London doctor, intermitting a lucrative home practice, made long journeys to the bedside of his patient. In the medical profession the diversity in scale of remuneration exceeds the great gulf fixed between the income of a bishop and the wages of a curate. The life of the late Sir William Broadbent is one of many illustrations of this truth. Beginning at the foot of the ladder, thankful for payment of exceedingly reasonable charges, he, having gradually established fame, thought little of a hundred-guinea fee.

Talking about Dr. Lepage's charges with a specialist whose name was not known in London three years ago, he told me he had just returned from a visit to one of the home counties at the peremptory call of a gentleman once well known in the House of Commons, whose identity is now disguised in a peerage. His house was situated just 90 miles from London, and the doctor's fee for attendance was 60 guineas. The regulation fee for a leading consulting physician in London called into the country is at the rate of 14s a mile, and it is the custom to roughly calculate it in guineas at two-thirds of the mileage. Thus a 90-mile journey makes up a little doctor's bill of 60 guineas. It is just possible that the interposition of the local doctor would have been equally efficacious, for my lord was not really very ill. But it did him good to post off his servant in the dead of night, to call up a fashionable doctor at 5 o'clock in the morning, and to incur a little bill of 60 guineas.

In conversation and writing about expeditions in search of the North Pole, it is forgotten that an English peer once embarked on the enterprise. A little more than 20 years ago Lord Lonsdale set out on the journey with a measure of equipment even less comprehensive than that which sufficed Dr. Cook. The then young Earl had for sole companion his valet and a dog. He got as far as the Green Lake, somewhere north of Prince Albert, marked on the map of the north-east territory of Canada, on the River Saskatchewan. At this point the Indians engaged for the earlier stages of the journey declared they had not a sufficient number of dogs to carry the valet and the heavier portions of the outfit. Lord Lonsdale, not to be deterred, sent back his servant, and all he could possibly spare of the outfit. Thus lightened he made another start. A further fortnight's experience of the impenetrability of the Arctic regions convinced him of the impracticability of his job, and he turned back to civilisation. He failed to reach the Pole, as did Franklin and Greely. But he remains pardonably proud of the fact that he is the only member of the British peerage that ever made the attempt.

A WOMAN'S LETTER.

The Chapel Royal.

LONDON, W., Jan. 28.

On Sunday last, having a ticket from Mr. Sub Dean, I attended service at the Chapel Royal, St. James's. I have long wished to attend one of these services, for I always understood they were conducted with great stateliness, and that the music was excellent. This I found to be the case.

The chapel is but a small one, simply built, a part of the old palace, low of roof, and wonderfully simple. There is a gallery overhead, and over the entrance is a special part set aside for Royalty, a wide pew with cushions over the railing. Downstairs there are two rows of pews, with such high sides that only one's head is visible, leading right up to the small sanctuary where the choir and clergy conduct the service. The service begins at a quarter past 12. A few moments before the clock rang out the hour I heard the sweet voices of boys singing a processional hymn, and then the doors were thrown open and an imposing procession made its way slowly towards the Communion table. The clergy were vested in the ordinary cassock and surplice. The boys of the choir, known as the "King's Singing Boys," wore old-fashioned scarlet coats and breeches of seventeenth century cut, with high stocks, looking as though Pepys might have heard them sing in the selfsame clothes. You know how clearly the little man always described clothing. They wore no surplices or cassocks, merely this old-world costume. The gentlemen of the Chapel Royal wore scarlet cassocks and white surplices, wearing over them any academic distinction in the way of hood. It is considered an honour to be one of the choir, and amongst the singers was a Master of Arts, wearing his fur-edged hood. The service was full choral, intoned by one of the clergy. There were hymns and an anthem, but it was very simple, though the ritual was carried out in a stately manner. There were lit candles on the altar, a cross set with gems, and some magnificent gold plate. On either side of the sanctuary were two huge tapestries. The congregation was a small one. Amongst those I knew was Sir Algernon West, who was at one time private secretary to Mr. Gladstone, a most charming and interesting person. The preacher for the day was the Hon. and Rev. Mr. T. Trywhitt, whose text was a very solemn one, "And God said unto him Thou fool." The context of that part of St. Luke was not used. But it was a remarkable sermon. He dwelt on the desecration of the London Sunday with some warmth, and asked his congregation what they expected was to become of the soul "of that last product in servitude, the chauffeur," whom no one treated as if he were a human being. A mere machine, akin to the petrol or the tyres of society's last toy. Then he touched on rinking, which is the last Sunday excitement, and said that though in itself rinking was no harm, yet it kept a great many attendants from a day of rest and leisure, which the fashionable people in their hunt for amusement never considered. And every now and then, with awful solemnity, Mr. Trywhitt repeated the words of his text, "Thou fool." It is, of course, one of the things one notices most in these days, the extraordinary want of feeling for Sunday. The reproach that the London Sunday is dull may well be deleted. We have concerts everywhere, plays at certain theatres, rinking at the fashionable halls, while the motor is in constant use. And in the homes of the wealthy bridge parties all the afternoon and evening. There is no rest. No one wishes to rest. Nepenthe is best found by constant motion, and the transition from one excitement to another.

The Spring Hats.

I come now to the subject which is more engrossing to women at this time of the year than any other—dress and millinery. We have suddenly leapt from long, dark days to lighter ones, and there is some sunlight which shows up our winter-worn clothes in a cruel manner.

And, curiously enough, the first thing thought of is millinery. You must remain in furs for some time longer, and this year the fur coat has completely enveloped the figure. But you may indulge in a new hat, and of these I proceed to tell you. The newest shapes are lifted on the left side with a most becoming tilt, not as we have been wearing them in the autumn, sharply turned up against the crown, but gracefully spread; both sides of the new hats are so arranged that they show the hair and eyes, which always is more becoming than the fashion of hiding them. Most women owe their looks to their hair and eyes.

And there is yet a fresh note to record. Some of the new hats are turned up at the back. This fashion was well worn a few years ago, and I think will be followed closely in Paris, where Frenchwomen like tilting the hat. I wonder if the backs of the hats will be filled up with pleatings of tulle and cache-peignes of flowers as we used to see them. The favourite trimmings are flowers. Small roses made up into flat bouquets of flowers, looking like a huge inverted saucer when attached to the hat, are worn. They are still new, as they only were shown after Christmas. I have had a hat done with Charlotte crown of black satin, very full, with a broad brim turned up at the side, with one of these flat plates of violets. You may like to know how such things are done. You make a foundation for the violets of leno and flat ribbon wire, determining how large you require it. Then you edge it with a double row of violet leaves, the points outwards; then take your violets in bunches of six, and clip the stalks to the required length, and sew them on round and round, blossoms outward, until the foundation is completely covered. You can if you like, put lighter violets in the centre. Then place your plate where you wish upon your hat, it serves to tilt the brim, and you want nothing else, provided you make a big one. The axiom of Parisians is, "If you use flowers, use them plentifully." Small roses and rosebuds can be done in the same way, making an outer edge of the foliage.

Then a great deal of ribbon will be used in the trimming of the new hats shaded from dark to light, put on in a number of soft loops. Tagal straw seems to re-assert itself, and certainly nothing wears better or looks so good as Tagal.

There will, however, be the usual number of what I may call useful hats, the large sailors, the mushrooms, and the soft motor or sport hats made of linen or kid, and trimmed with a pleated band of itself. All the sporting girls have one of these hats, they are so comfortable for railway travelling or for wear on board ship.

Roses will, as usual, be more worn than any other flowers; only, instead of mammoth blossoms, the flowers are either buds daintily made or tiny roses like the rambler tribe. I saw a hat which was ready for the Riviera the other day made of stretched black Chantilly lace, a large sized hat with a moderately high crown, its sole trimming was an upstanding bunch of tiny pink roses, lots of them on stalks and with a few leaves. I thought it very smart. Then another trimming is to mount your roses into rings on suitable wire and net, and thread through them soft ribbon, tied in a great clump at the side. The rings should be a good size.

The toques in preparation for the spring are charming. They are like the hats we have been wearing with high crowns and mushroom-like brims. Only with this difference: the crown is made of quantities of draped black tulle standing up very high. On the brim are laid roses close together, with a high osprey as a finish. This is a shape which suits most women, and can be worn by the middle-aged woman with great success, especially if the colouring of her hair is taken into consideration. I am contemplating a toque of this order in black net, with a thick wreath of creamy white roses right round the brim. It would go with most things—as one usually wears black it would cheer the toilette up a bit.

I have also seen some hats trimmed with those large rosettes of flowers or ribbon, with kiltings of lace round the outer edge, which gives a very finished air to the hat, as lace kilting always gives a touch of freshness wherever one sees it.

Black and white will be a fashionable mixture in the coming season. For evening gowns the last idea seems to be the introducing of tone upon tone, one colour over the other, till a very subdued effect has been attained. This is done sometimes in shades of rose veiled at last by the palest of mole Ninon.

LORD FISHER.

END OF A GREAT CAREER.

(BY OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Jan. 28.

In the very midst of the swirl of political things this week, there occurred, silently, and quite without interest of public excitement, an event of high moment to the nation, and one having a significance not to be excelled even by the election issues so turbulently before the country, or by any result thereof. A great man retired from a great office. The splendid career of Lord Fisher—long and better known as Sir John Fisher—came to an end, and the most strenuous First Sea Lord of the Admiralty known to modern days gave up that post to his successor. His five years at the Admiralty have been five years of storm and stress. Being his, they could not have been otherwise, for Lord Fisher, above all else, was a reformer. Brimful of a fiery zeal for building up, he had the reformer's passion for results, and contempt of obstacles in their way. He swept away Admiralty conventions grown hoary in established uselessness. His path is strewn with overturned reputations. He had to fight a portentous array of tradition. No man does these things without much of envy and hatred and malice, and other uncharitableness. Lord Fisher met it all—anger and opposition, calumny and ill-report—contemptuously. He brushed it aside, and passed on to a new task. He did most of what he hoped to do; and he made many enemies in the process. But to-day even they admit the genius of the man; while as for the great body of the people, who know nothing of the minutiae of Admiralty administration, they are satisfied to regard Lord Fisher as the man who has re-created the British Navy—who, finding it decadent and spiritless, revivified and energised it, and, seeing it hopelessly inefficient, lifted it, gave it new ideas, inspired it into vigorous life. He changed its whole organisation, rearranged its dispositions, altered the type of its ships, instituted the Dreadnought era, abolished the wasteful storage system, scrapped the useless vessels, raised the status of the seamen, organised the shipyards. This is more than reform. It is revolution. It is certainly a great work, and it is that work for which stands Lord Fisher, First Sea Lord of the Admiralty, retired last Tuesday.

His crowning achievement was the redistribution of the fleet. His other reforms led up to that, were expressed in it. Shortly after he entered upon his office—five years ago—the unfortunate Dogger Bank incident occurred. It was that, probably, and the crisis it almost precipitated, combined with the rapid growth of the German Navy, which led him to perceive that, not the Mediterranean, but the North Sea, was to be the future centre of naval strategy. Long and stormy was the course of events which led to the final achievement he had in view, and criticism assailed him on all sides. But he persevered, and last year he saw the culmination of his work in the absorption of the Channel Fleet as the second division of the Home Fleet, and the establishment of a third division, made up of vessels previously in reserve in home ports, without crews, but now in commission, with nucleus crews, and thoroughly organised. The development of the nucleus crew system is one of the most striking witnesses to the administrative genius of Lord Fisher. He found the Navy divided into ships fully manned and in commission, and ships not in commission, and not manned, known as the Dockyard Reserve and the Fleet Reserve. Those of the latter class had a few men attached to them, and one or two officers. When it became necessary to send them to sea a crew was drafted in from the naval barracks, and unemployed officers were appointed. Neither men nor officers knew their ship, and as a result many such vessels suffered severely in the manoeuvres in which they took part. Their probable value in the event of sudden war was small. The Dockyard Fleet were, generally speaking, obsolete ships, only available in a desperate emergency, and of even less value. Lord Fisher changed all that. He organised his nucleus crew system, whereby every ship in the Fleet Reserve of any value is kept in commission, with a crew from two-fifths to three-fifths of its full complement, including a captain, a commander, officers, and all the expert and specialist ratings. Those ships, organised in squadrons, now form the third division of the Home Fleet. They are regularly at sea for manoeuvres and exercises, and in a sudden emergency they could be filled to their full complement with men already told off. In short, they are now effective parts of the Navy. By means of their reorganisation the whole of the British Fleet is instantly ready for war.

The introduction by Lord Fisher of the Dreadnought type of ship has surrounded naval affairs with a tumult of controversy of which the last has not by any means been heard. In any case, the institution of the Dreadnought battleship proved so striking a development that other Powers were forced to stay their hands a while, and in that way Great Britain secured the lead in their construction which she still retains. The disputes in the matter are concerned chiefly with the opinion that the Dreadnought was a premature undertaking, and that the present modifications in the type in use both in this and foreign countries might have been awaited, at saving of enormous expenditure. However that may be, Lord Fisher certainly looked further ahead than anyone of his competitors; and other countries have built Dreadnoughts.

Another of his great reforms was concerned with the scrapping of obsolete vessels of no fighting value, and the release from them, for effective service, of many officers and men. Some 150 ships were thus got rid of, with much resultant saving in repair expenditure, relief of dockyards, and the advantage of redistribution of their crews, already mentioned.

Such, briefly stated, are some of the achievements which will give Lord Fisher immortality in the honoured line of great British seamen. Personally, he is described as altogether a remarkable man, of sailor-like breeziness of manner, combined with a conversational habit of incisive epigram. His energies are concentrated upon one object alone—the British Navy. He has no other interest. "There are five keys to the world," is one of his reported sayings, "the Straits of Dover, the straits of Gibraltar, the Suez Canal, the Straits of Malacca, and the Cape of Good Hope—and we hold them all." "Armour is vision" is one of his accredited maxims. He had a map in the Admiralty on which the position of every German mercantile ship afloat was posted daily, and the position of every British warship; one of his characteristic exploits was the installation on the dome of the Admiralty of a wireless, in communication with all his sentinels of the sea. The Post Office objected to the idea. The First Sea Lord gave orders to some blue jackets. They swarmed the roof of the building, and installed the mechanism. It is still there, to be seen of anyone who crosses Horse Guards Parade. What is more, it is not in the least likely to be disturbed, for it rings the battleships lying scattered on the highway of the sea, and binds them to London and the country whose dominion they stand for. Thus Lord Fisher, regenerator of the Navy, great seaman and great administrator, passes out of active service; and not the least significant circumstance attaching to the going of this great man is that his successor, Sir Arthur Knyvett Wilson, is hailed on all sides as worthy to follow him. He is spoken of as a naval genius of the highest order, a great mathematician, and a great strategist. The vacant office, which might have been thought difficult to fill, is thus filled easily, and to the satisfaction of all. There is still hope for the British Navy.

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AT COCKATOO ISLAND.

A GREAT STATE FACTORY.

Amongst the many interesting pictures which adorn the last report of the Public Works Committee is to be seen an artistic photograph of a stanch steamer, the Commonwealth research vessel Endeavour. She looks in every way an up-to-date, well-equipped boat, fit for her work, capable of revealing, for the benefit of fishermen and scientists, the secrets of the sea bottom—altogether a credit to the Cockatoo artists who designed and built her. But Biloela Dockyard, to give it its official name, does not confine itself, as one might suppose, to marine work.

It is true that it docks his Majesty's ships free of charge, and that it possesses a graving dock which will just allow a Dreadnought to squeeze in. Last year, in the Fitzroy and Sutherland Docks, it received and repaired six merchant vessels, 13 men-of-war, and 48 Commonwealth and State vessels, measuring a total of over 78,000 tons. Yet these extensive operations did not lessen the dockyard's appetite for land work. It is quite amphibious in its tastes. Bridges, dams, tramways and railways, pumps, steam engines, electrical installations, all come within the scope of this State-owned workshop. The establishment has really more work than it can execute, and the place simply hums with activity. This was apparent at once to a "Herald" representative when he visited the island with Mr. Hickson, president of the Harbour Trust, and chairman of the committee of four which looks after the affairs of the dockyard.

The first thing which caught the eye as the launch glided alongside was a boilerless torpedo boat, of quite obsolete pattern, which lay peacefully rubbing her lead painted sides against the encumbered wharf. This is one of the Federal bad bargains, the Countess of Hopetoun, a Victorian torpedo-boat, built 25 years ago. She is too small to be capable of independent action at any distance from her base, and yet too large for purely harbour defence work. One of the new destroyers, now being built as the nucleus of the Australian Navy, would make short work of her. It might have been better policy to scrap her, but experts would probably differ on this point, and she is being refitted and reboilered at great expense. In the shed close by, resplendent in red paint, is the new water-tube boiler, almost ready for shipment, and Biloela is justly proud of the job.

"It is entirely our own design," says Mr. Cutler, superintendent of the yard. "It is not a copy of any existing type, but something between a Yarrow and a Suckling boiler. No, I would rather not state the cost, but you may depend upon it we shall not lose money over the work."

Several men at a pump are busily employed forcing water into the boiler in order to test it, and presently the gauge stands at 265lb to the square inch. Yet in all the tangled array of tubes there is not a sign of leakage. Roughly speaking, the boiler consists of three cylinders, the two smaller placed at the base of a triangle, the larger at its apex. These are joined by tubes, so as to make a kind of tripod. The steel tubes, of which there are 1270, are expanded where they enter the cylinders by means of a special tool, so as to guard as far as possible against that great trouble of marine and locomotive engineers, the leaky tube. All the work on this boiler, except the tubes, which have to be imported, has been done in the shop, and the superintendent points out the particularly neat manner in which the great hydraulic press, which we are to see later on, has done its work.

Outside the boiler shed covering the quay, is a vast array of tangled machinery, old pipes and valves, cylinders, connecting rods, and fittings of all kinds.

"This is the Groper," explains the superintendent, and we look at him dubiously. The Groper is a dredge employed on river work, and though her hull is doubtless intact this is all that remains of her machinery. She has been thoroughly gutted, practically pulled to pieces, and sent down here for a complete overhaul. The mechanics will have a delicate piece of work in putting together the different parts, and one wonders whether it would not have been easier to bring the dredge along intact, instead of in pieces. There is a bewildering variety of sheds to visit. Here is the great machine shop, with its array of heavy planing and drilling machines. In the centre is what looks like a castiron platform mounted on huge rollers. This is not part of the shop equipment, but one of the new sluice gates for the Barren Jack reservoir, four of which have been made in the dockyard. It is an enormously heavy piece of work, and yet has to be fitted with the greatest exactitude. Beside it is another large casting—a centrifugal pump some 8ft in diameter, designed for a suction dredge now in process of construction.

In the great foundry every kind of casting is in progress, and just now the founders are specially busy making 4ft 6in pipes for the Barren Jack scheme. A large number have been already cast, and are now on the wharf awaiting shipment, and altogether about 150 tons will be supplied.

In another shop we find the most improved modern machinery. A turret lathe is turning screw bolts an inch thick out of a solid steel bar, and doing it all with one cut. The attendant has merely to see that the cutting tools are adjusted rightly; the machine does the rest. A horizontal miller, one of the newest tools, is making light work of steel rails, slicing great cuts off their sides, and preparing them to become railway points and crossings.

Outside the four-ton steam hammer is at work, beating out a forging, and beside it the great hydraulic press, which has done such excellent work on the new boiler. Cockatoo values its unique press, for was it not made from an old steel cannon, discarded from our fortifications? The outer jacket was unshrunk, and now forms one of the cylinders in which the hydraulic plunger works. The inner tube forms a smaller cylinder, and even the trunnions have been preserved to support the work. This is the twentieth century method of turning a sword into a ploughshare. The huge iron stand which forms the main framework of the machine is one casting, weighing 23 tons, the largest ever turned out from the foundry.

The whole of the workshops are run by electricity, dispensing with the old cumbrous array of belts and shafting. Each machine has its own dynamo, and the method not only tends towards greater smoothness of running, but has also largely reduced the coal bill. Here, as elsewhere, it is impossible to get a proper commercial comparison, because the dynamos were second-hand ones, taken over from another Government department.

Across the Fitzroy Dock, now occupied only by a few insignificant dredges and barges, are a couple of cantilever cranes, the largest yet built in this State. Their gaunt red arms stretch out over a span of 75ft, and can lift a weight of five tons. They have been specially erected for use on the building slip, and will come in particularly handy when the Federal torpedo-boat destroyer, which is to come out from England in little bits, has to be put together.

Cockatoo does not confine itself to working in iron alone; wood, though in a minor degree, still finds a place in its repertoire. The carpenter's and shipwright's occupation is not entirely gone. Under a large shed is a complete sawmill outfit, breaking down and band saws, planing and morticing machines, every kind of wood-working tool. A lot of miscellaneous woodwork is done for the railway and other departments, but the principal job on hand is the construction of a 75ft launch for the Harbour Trust. For these small vessels wood is still preferred to steel, as it is less liable to accidental damage. Outside, in striking contrast to this dainty little launch, is a rough piece of work, now approaching completion—a large pontoon, 130ft by 50ft, constructed for the convenience of North Sydney passengers at the Circular Quay.

A mere list of the jobs now on hand would give but a faint idea of the manifold operations carried on by the 500 men who toil at this State-owned factory. There are all sorts of ironwork for railway construction, a swing for the Gladesville Bridge, strong enough to carry trams; a steam punt for Middle Harbour, built to ferry tramcars across; a bascule bridge to cross the south arm of the Richmond River; also another bridge for Singleton.

A suction dredge, remarkable for her shallow draught, is being built for river work. Fully laden, she will draw only 4ft 9in, and she will thus be enabled to work on a bar which is dry at low tide. Two large iron hopper barges are being built for the Harbour Trust, and, in addition to the Countess of Hopetoun, there is the South Australian gunboat Protector, and a suction dredge, both waiting to be reboilered. Then there is all the work for the Barren Jack dam, besides a host of minor operations.

In spite of these many occupations, this wonderful institution can find time to compete with private industry in the open market, and to carry off the contract for the Lithgow Small Arms Factory. No man can say whether this enterprise pays or not: the ordinary terms applicable to commercial establishments, such as profit and loss, do not apply here.

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"THE COMMON PEOPLE."

THREE GATHERINGS IN AMERICA.

"THE HOUSE OF GOVERNORS."

INSURANCE PRESIDENTS MEET.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.

During the past week, even with Congress in full session, the attention of the local as well as of the national public has been chiefly directed upon remarkable gatherings here, illustrating the ability of the "plain people" to redeem the defects and shortcomings of the governmental fabric as established by the Constitution. The most important, beyond doubt, was the coming together of the Governors of the several States, regardless of party affiliations, to consider the relations of the States to the three branches of the federal Government—executive, legislative, and judicial—and of each State to the others.

Originally the Senate was regarded as a means by which the rights of the States should be protected against centralised authority, but in practice, whenever a majority of the senators and the President belong to the same national party—as is usually the case—the interest, not of the State, but of the national party, dominates. To guide or check this tendency the Governors will now probably effect a permanent organisation, and may become as influential a feature of the national life as is the national convention or even the party caucus.

Thirty of the 46 Governors have attended, and the others have been represented by able proxies. Mr. Taft, whose personal troubles with Congress are increasing day by day and almost hour by hour, addressed them as "My dear fellow-executives and fellow-sufferers," and then, turning to the Governor of his own State of Ohio—Harmon, a Democrat, handicapped with a Republican Legislature—he said:—"I would especially like to ask Governor Harmon how he manages with a Republican Legislature out in Ohio. I can assure him that there are struggles even when you have a Congress which nominally is of your own party. There is no use mourning over our lack of the English system of government in this country, for we can never have it, but you Governors, as well as I, have felt at times the injustice of criticism which comes to the executive because of a lack of the English system."

PRESIDENT ON "THE ENGLISH SYSTEM."

The "English system" referred to is that the executive can appeal to the country whenever he deems it advisable; and "the injustice" is the fact that the executive is blamed personally for all that is left "undone" by his party.

Many subjects were discussed by the Governors, but the one significant note in all the speeches, regardless of party, was the vital necessity of opposing federal pretensions to authority in matters not expressly granted to it by the Constitution.

Even the name to be adopted by this new organisation seems to be a matter of moment. "Nor are we met," said its chairman, Governor Willson of Kentucky, "to form a 'House of Governors.' The very term seems to me to smack of the House of Lords. This conference has been devised in the interest of the people of the country."

THE SECOND GATHERING.

The second gathering was that of the life insurance presidents, representing 20,000,000 policy holders and 4,000,000,000 dollars assets. The association was brought into existence as an act of self-protection by the world-wide scandal of the irregularities exposed five years ago.

The principal speaker was Governor Hughes, of New York, the main agent in bringing those irregularities into plain view—who was, by the way, also a principal speaker at the governors' conference. His main point was that, no matter how desirable it might be from the insurance point of view, there should be a national insurance law, yet the decisions of the Supreme Court held that this was absolutely forbidden by the constitution. This counsel was unwelcome—for it had been hoped that a means of speedy escape from the irritating variances of 48 differing codes of State law might be suggested—but it was taken in good part; and the alternative plan of cultivating local favour by distributing investments of policy-money as nearly as possible proportionately to the sources from whence they are derived, though open to grave objections, may end ultimately in satisfactory results. The legislatures tend to insist that all earnings shall, as they accrue, be forthwith distributed. American managers aim to hold back in the treasury a surplus sufficient to maintain an even average rate of dividends. That is a wise policy, no doubt, but it has led to gross abuses. Huge unneeded surpluses have been amassed, and used to help forward special enterprises in which officials were personal stockholders—the result, in a nutshell, being that, while the corporate funds did the work, getting only a bare interest return, the officials got all extra profits. In such cases, especially in those where insurance money has been used, there has rarely been any danger of loss, but the knowledge that great sums would be employed in a special direction was coined into enormous speculative gains. The stock and policy holders have lost nothing, but nevertheless they have failed to get the "unearned increment" that their capital really drew to itself.

Some managers of smaller corporations, such as banks, have even gone beyond the law and made loans without proper legal security; and two of the most notorious multi-millionaire offenders of this kind have within a fortnight gone to gaol for long terms—Morse, the ice-trust magnate, for 15 years, and Walsh, a banker of Chicago, for six. Yet even here the persons whose money was used got every dollar of it back, for, pending appeal, both men were at large under heavy bail, and realised so successfully on their assets that all their debts have been paid and a handsome surplus left over for themselves.

A PEACE CONVENTION.

The third convention was of the so-called Civic Federation—a philanthropic organisation that has acquired a quasi-official standing, because it has often by request acted as peacemaker in the greater labour troubles—notably in the coal strike which only a few years ago almost threatened to end in civil war. None of these bodies, or of their like, has a formal place in the Government, and yet each is in fact an important part of the official mechanism, and is recognised as such by both Congress and the State Legislatures. Most of their members, too, have at some time served in the legislatures or on the Bench or on commissions; and thus, even in their ideals, have learned by experience to make allowances for human frailty and to take what they can get, even if it fall far short of what they hope.

EARLIEST SYDNEY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In your columns appears an article on Phillip's and Bligh's plan, written by Mr. E. H. Tebbutt, as a result of his inspection of a number of very old plans on view at the Lands Department. After calling attention to many points in these ancient documents, similar to those given by me in a record contained in the "Sydney Mail," on the bays and points of Port Jackson, about 12 months ago, he urges that "On the other side of Bridge-street the 'Guard House' is indicated, and 'Government House gardens'—sloping down to the Circular Quay. All is utterly vanished, except one sole survivor, near the present tram sheds, a gnarled oak, which once was but one among its fellows in that picturesque garden. The oak, though it lingers on, appears to be dying—unless Mr. Maiden could save it. Doubtless, it is the oldest tree in Australia of other than indigenous varieties. Is there an older oak?" I can well remember that in 1856, or 54 years ago, with another companion, making use of the lower branch of this oak tree in doing gymnastic exercises, as it appeared much younger then than the palm trees overlooking the "Guard House," and was not uprooted as was done by some natives to the oaks which were planted in the earliest days in Hyde Park. Mr. John Nobbs, M.L.A., informed me that owing to the beneficent action taken by him this "ancient memorial of the forest" was taken in charge by several Government departments, and that Mr. Maiden was instructed to have all round the root cleared, and to give everything necessary for its support, in accordance with the desire of the Historical Society in this State. The building used by the Department of Public Instruction, and previously by the Colonial Secretary's office, is another superstructure which should not be destroyed, as, like the building at the other end of Bridge-street, originally used for worship by the first Hebrew congregation in Sydney, it is the only relic of the past to a large number of members of that denomination. When the old pine trees surrounding the "Guard House" were being pulled down, I called the attention of the late Sir John Robertson, and the late Mr. George Thornton, who passed at the time, to the desecration of these trees for the purpose of buildings erected close by, and received the lament of both these gentlemen at the sacrilege. As an old native of Sydney, I am of opinion that the "ancient oak" still remaining—reminding one of the old glories—should, by official means for its preservation, retain the likeness of its pristine purity, and become a well-known relic of the past.

I am, etc.,
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THE DEFAMATION ACT.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 11.

ACTION FOR ALLEGED SLANDER AND LIBEL.

Further argument was heard in Chambers yesterday, before Mr. Justice Sly, on an application by the plaintiff in the action Strachan v Dr. Irmer for alleged slander and libel, for an order under section 11 of the Defamation (Amendment) Act, 1909, directing the proprietors of the "Sydney Morning Herald" to furnish the name and address of the person who supplied certain "articles, reports, or writings" appearing in the "Herald" of May 12 and 17, 1909. Mr. Bradburn, instructed by Mr. A. S. Boulton, again appeared for the plaintiff, John Strachan, in support of the motion; Mr. Harry Stephen, instructed by Messrs. Cape, Kent, and Gaden, for John Fairfax and Sons, proprietors of the "Sydney Morning Herald," to oppose; and Mr. Leibius (of Messrs. Leibius and Black) for defendant, to submit to any order the Court might make.

Mr. Stephen further contended that the employee of the newspaper was not the person who supplied the report, article, or writing referred to in the section, and what the section meant was a person altogether outside the newspaper.

His Honor: Why should I limit the section to persons not in the employ of the newspaper?

Mr. Stephen said it was because it referred to the person who supplied, and the reporter did not supply the article complained of. It must apply to somebody outside the "Herald" altogether. The information was verbally supplied, and the fact that one of the employees wrote it up did not bring him within the section. It was supplied to him by the defendant. The section was one which interfered with the rights of newspapers, and, therefore, it should be construed strictly, and not given too wide an interpretation. The ordinary meaning of the word "supply" did not include the work done by the reporters of a newspaper. Another point was that, as the section was one which interfered with the rights of newspaper proprietors, the Court would not construe it so as to make it retrospective in its effect. The article complained of appeared on the 17th May last, and the Defamation (Amendment) Act was passed on the 23rd September, of the same year. The writ in the action was issued on the 4th February.

Mr. Bradburn, in support of the application, quoted "Odgers on the Law of Libel," 3rd edition, at page 130, that, "Anyone who requests or procures another to write, print, or publish a libel is as answerable as though he wrote, printed, or published it himself. And such request need not be express. Thus, it may be inferred from the defendant's conduct in sending his manuscript to the editor of a magazine, or making a statement to the reporter of a newspaper, with the knowledge that they will be sure to publish it, and without any effort to restrain their so doing." Then there was the case of Parkes v Prescott, 4 Exchequer, at page 177. That was a case in which, at a meeting of a board of guardians, there was a discussion as to the plaintiff's conduct, and defendant said he hoped the reporter who was present would take a note of it. The Act was a remedial one, passed for the benefit of newspapers, with the exception of the section now under consideration. And even that section was not a hardship upon newspapers, but was intended to enable a plaintiff to bring the person actually responsible for the libel complained of before the jury. It was therefore a privilege to a newspaper, which could give the name required without any liability to any action.

At this stage the further hearing was adjourned till Monday.

TYPHOID AT BATHURST.

INDIGNANT ALDERMEN.

BOARD OF HEALTH ATTACKED.

BATHURST, Friday.

At the last meeting of the municipal council a letter was read from Mr. Miller, M.L.A., asking if the report of typhoid prevailing in Bathurst was true. He intimated that if true he would ask the Public Works Committee to hurry their visit to Bathurst and inquire into the sewerage question.

The Mayor (Alderman James) said it was a pity Dr. Ashburton Thompson, who had made the statement, had not made himself thoroughly conversant with the condition of Bathurst before he arrived at such a conclusion. The statement was not in accordance with facts. The Bathurst municipality was carrying out the conditions which the Board of Health imposed. He considered that when the president of the Board of Health went out of his way to make such statements it was time someone took a stand and pointed out that the council was doing its part to have a proper system of sanitation for the city.

Alderman Webb said that whenever Dr. Ashburton Thompson was interviewed by any person he always said something in depreciation of country towns. If there should happen to be an outbreak of typhoid in Bathurst the Board of Health would be more responsible for it than the council. The council had been trying in vain for some time to get certain things done by the Board of Health. He had spoken about the matter over and over again. He could not understand the action of the Board of Health. It sent along inspectors to do work which should be done by the Government medical officer. He moved,—"That Mr. Miller be told that a number of cases occurred in Bathurst during last year; also that the statements were not true; that if an outbreak did occur the Board of Health would be in a very large way responsible."

The motion was carried.

MINE HORSES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Well might the poor brutes "say" "Save me from my friends!" And I for one regret that I started the publicity of their terrible treatment from so-called civilised masters, "for those that are furious and barbarous to them, evidence, and confirm in themselves, a habit of barbarity, and help to make the creation groan (Rom. viii. 22). To how great a degree a wicked man will be unmerciful; even his tender mercies are cruel;" that natural compassion which is in a man, as a man, is lost, and by the power of corruption is turned into hard-heartedness; even that which they will have to pass for compassion is really cruel, as Pilate's resolution concerning Christ the Innocent—I will chastise him, and let him go. Their pretended kindnesses are only cover for purposed cruelties. The beasts that are under our care must be provided for, must have convenient food and rest, must in no case be abused or tyrannised over. "Balaam was checked for beating his ass."

And now in this country both mine-owners and men—the workers—have had a check by way of the strike, and my friends the horses a short respite. But, alas, matters are worse for my righteous indignation and rushing into print, and are cloaked over in darkness and obscurity, and away from the observing eye. "A righteous man regardeth the life of his beast; but the tender mercies of the wicked are cruel." (Prov. xii., 10.) It's all very well for the secretary of the Animals Protection Society of N.S.W. to ask me to write him, etc., but I don't sit on a swivel-cushioned chair. I've to live by sweat and toil, and see these poor brutes pass by as in a nightmare, and although it breaks my heart, their groaning, am I to be a marked man? A simple act of the powers that be could compel an inspection above ground, with registration of each horse. They fine a man £100 for strike. Put it on for the abuse of the dumb animal, and a fixed time to see the God-given daylight.

I am, etc., PRO BONO EQUI.
Feb. 27.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I am not a member of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, but I have read of the lives of our good friend the horse in the Newcastle coal mines, and of the frantic joy the poor beasts evinced when the big coal strike necessitated their being let loose for a time in a grass paddock, and of the painful struggles of the poor brutes to prevent their being taken down below again. As there lives are, perhaps, limited to this terrestrial sphere, I earnestly ask the powers that be to amend the Cruelty to Animals Act and limit the service of a horse in a coalmine to one year. Isn't that a fair and reasonable limitation? I should like to see the Act aforesaid amended in this respect in the forthcoming session. I am, etc.,

"ONE OF THE SUPERIOR ANIMALS."

WHY NOT A LOCAL GASWORKS?

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Some four months ago my plumber applied for a gas-meter for a cottage just completed. This was refused him, on account of there being no gas main in the Avenue. I applied for the extension of main on November 9; on the 19th received a letter saying the board had consented to lay same. I called at the office a week later, when I was informed that all their main-layers had been "sacked" from the beginning of the strike, and that it was no use bothering them until the strike was over for meter or main. I called again as soon as I heard that the trains were running full strength, to know why this short piece of main, 250ft, could not be gone on with—with the same result. About a month ago I wrote again, received no reply, and have written since. I am sending you full particulars of the treatment the Gas Company metes out to its supporters. The above speaks for itself, without any remarks of mine.

I am, etc., S. S. GANGE.
Bondi, March 3.

THE ARMED LOVER.

PRESENTS REVOLVER AT FIANCEE.

SEQUEL TO REDFERN SHOOTING CASE.

At the Redfern Police Court on Thursday, before Mr. King, S.M., a young man named Thomas Doyle, of Redfern, was charged with having threatened Margaret O'Halloran.

Mr. Cromwell appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. Parker for the defence.

The defendant is already under committal for trial on a charge heard in the same court last Tuesday of shooting a young man the same evening in the streets of Redfern. That shooting, it is alleged, arose out of the present case.

William Locke, greengrocer, of 29 King-street, Newtown, stated that the complainant, Maggie O'Halloran, was in his employ on February 22. About 3 p.m. that day witness heard the defendant talking to the girl, and saw him go to jump over the gate as she left him. About 7.30 p.m. defendant came to the shop and asked witness if he could see complainant, and witness said, "It is no use you coming round here; she won't see you in your present state." Defendant was very excited. Witness was standing in the shop doorway. Defendant pushed him aside, and said, "I will do for her to-night, rushing into the shop to the dining-room door. It was wide open. He sang out, "Where is she; where is she?" and, pulling out a revolver, pointed it straight at Maggie O'Halloran. Witness caught him by the wrist, and the girl ran upstairs screaming. Defendant did not speak then, but when witness got him outside he said, "This revolver has done for one man, and it will do for her to-night." Witness told him to go home, or he would get a couple of years for what he had done, and a young fellow took him away. Margaret O'Halloran was subsequently taken home by her brother the same evening, and that was the last witness saw of her that night. She had been in witness's employ for about eight months as a domestic servant. She was a quiet, respectable girl. She was keeping company with defendant, and they seemed to be on the most affectionate terms.

Margaret O'Halloran, a young woman, stated that on February 22, between 11 and 12 a.m., the accused called her out. He said, "I want my ring and my property." Witness was engaged to him, and she was taking care of his ring and £2, his money. She handed the ring and the money over to him, and he went away. He returned about 3 o'clock that afternoon, and asked if she was going to meet him that night, and she replied, "Certainly not." He then asked her if she would take the ring back, and she said, "Certainly not." Then he said again, "Are you going to meet me to-night?" She replied, "No, I will not. Out of this house I am not going." He said, "You won't take back the ring, won't you?" and she said, "Certainly not. I am finished with you for ever." He then said, "If you don't come out to-night I will have your life." He went to get over the gate, and she ran inside. Between 7 and 8 p.m. he returned to the back gate and whistled. She went to a window upstairs, and said, "Well, what do you want?" "I want you to come out to-night. There is something I want to tell you." "Tell me here," she said. He replied, "I don't want all the neighbours to hear what I have to say." Witness said, "Well, I am not going out to-night." He went away, and she came down to the dining-room door, leading to the shop, when she saw the defendant in the shop. She heard defendant say to Locke, "Is that girl coming out to night," and Locke replied, "She says she won't." "Then," said defendant, "there will be a tragedy in your house to-night." Instantly he pulled a revolver out of his side pocket and pointed it at witness. He started to run through the shop, and she bolted upstairs screaming. She got through the back window and escaped. When he went away she returned, and later was taken home by her brother and two other young men. She was afraid of defendant, and owing to his conduct that day she had lost her situation.

The defendant, Thomas Doyle, gave evidence. He said that he lived at 89 Abercrombie-street, Redfern, and had known the girl for 13 months. He had been keeping company with her for that period, and they were on the most affectionate terms, and were engaged to be married at Easter. Just at this time, however, a quarrel arose between them over something that had been said about him. The young man alleged to have said it denied using the words, and witness arranged for the girl to meet the young fellow and hear the truth of the story. She had previously agreed to do so, and witness went up to her that afternoon to bring her face to face with this young man. When he got there she said she had not had her dinner, and she went inside to finish the meal, promising to return to witness as soon as she had finished. He waited for two hours. Then she came out and refused to go to the young fellow. It ended up by witness asking her for his property, some of which she gave him. He returned in the evening about 7.30, but she would only speak to him from the kitchen door. He did not say, "If you don't come out with me to night I'll take your life." She refused to come out, and witness went to the front of the shop and saw Mr. Locke. He said he had asked her to go out with witness, but she refused, and he could not do any more. She stood at the dining-room door at the time laughing at witness. He went into the house and told her he would pull her out and make her give him his things. He then pulled out the revolver, but it was empty, and he had no cartridges with him. He never pointed the revolver at any one, and did not say there would be a tragedy in the house that night. When he went home he loaded his revolver.

Mr. Cromwell: And shot a young man the same night.

Witness: In self-defence. He did not ask her to walk out with him that night. She said, "I am still willing to walk out with you, Tom," but witness refused. He said to her, "If you retain my property you will pay the penalty," meaning that she would be summoned.

The magistrate said it was a very serious thing to point firearms at a person, whether loaded or not, and he ordered the defendant to find sureties in £20 to be of good behaviour towards complainant for six months, in default imprisonment for one month, and also to pay costs £1 8s, in default imprisonment for seven days.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Maoris of New Zealand: Cowan (Whitcombe and Tombs).
Practical Bookkeeping: Wonson (John Andrew).
My Thirty Years in India: Cox (Mills and Boon).
The Reality of War: Murray (Rees).
Poems Written in Early Youth, etc: Meredith (Constable).
Boswell's Johnson, Part 19 and 20 (Sir Isaac Pitman).
Preventable Diseases: Hutchinson (Constable).
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Poppea of the Post Office: Wright (Macmillan).
The Intruding Angel: Chas. Marriott (Hurst and Blackett, through George Robertson).
The Desert Dreamers: K. Rhodes (Hutchinson, through George Robertson).
When Breaketh the Hedge: Iota (Hurst and Blackett, through George Robertson).
Fugitives from Fortune: Ethel Turner (Ward, Lock, through Dymock).
White Walls: Pemberton (Ward, Lock, through Dymock).
The Sporting Chance: A. and C. Askew (Ward, Lock, through Dymock).
Peter: Hohlen (Constable, through Dymock).
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WOODCUTTING PLANT, complete, for Sale as a going concern, close to station, near Moss Vale, abundance of timber. TOOLE and CO., 70 Hunter-street.

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FOR SALE, as a going concern, old-established Country STORE, good climate, stock about £600. Particulars, etc. apply J. R. LOVE and CO., Bathurst-street.

BOARDING-HOUSE for Sale, M'Mahon's Pt., 12 rms., 9 boarders, moderate rent, water frontage, boatshed, easterly aspect, no piano, quick sale, £210; only bona fide purchasers need apply J.H., Herald.

HOTEL, heart of city, 2 bars, beautifully done up, licensee leaving for Colombo on account of ill-health, free house, full price £900, any merchant will finance buyer with £600. COLOMBO, Herald Office.

GROCERY and Drapery Business for Sale, with Dwelling, containing shop, 5 rooms, bath, washhouse, gas and water, Land 66 x 154. F., Ocean-street, Penshurst.

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CONFEC., Mixed Bus. for Sale, King st, Newtown, suit mother and daughter. H.E., P.O., N'town.

CONFEC., Pastry, Mixed, large shop, dwelling, suit M.C. All particulars, 154 Regent st, Redfern.

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MACHINERY.

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BUTCHER'S COLD ROOM for SALE, 6ft x 6ft x 7ft, complete, with Rails. Apply WAUGH and JOSEPHSON, Dairy and Refrigerating Engineers, 342 Sussex-street, Sydney.

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FOR SALE, Tangye VERTICAL PUMP, 6in x 4in x 12in, also small Donkey Pump, in good order, cheap; Plummer Blocks, Saw Spindles, Pulleys, a large and varied assortment; all kinds of Machine Repairs and Construction undertaken. HODWORTH and SPRATT, 246 Kent-street.

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SALE, 10-h. Gas Engine, Crossley, £80; Launch Engine, compound, 7¼in by 4in cylinders, 7in stroke, new, £...; Contractor's Hoisting Engines, Sale or Hire. A. ROGERS, 8 Arundel-st, Glebe.

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MONA EXTENSION EST., DARLING POINT.—AUCTION SALE, TO-DAY, on the ground. R. and H.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE.

TENDERS for the WORKS specified below will be received up to 2 p.m. on the dates mentioned. For particulars see "Government Gazette":—

MARCH 7, 1910.

CONTRACT 924.—Construction of 553 lineal feet of STONEWARE PIPE SEWERS, in the Municipality of North Sydney.

MARCH 14, 1910.

CONTRACT 925.—Construction of 8073 lineal feet of STONEWARE PIPE SEWERS (Cast-iron where required), in the Municipality of Drummoyne.

CONTRACT 926.—Construction of 8120 lineal feet of STONEWARE PIPE SEWERS, in the Municipality of Rockdale.

CONTRACT 927.—Construction of 1968 lineal feet of STONEWARE PIPE SEWERS, in the Municipality of Concord.

WILLIAM HOLMES, Secretary.
341 Pitt-street, Sydney, February 22, 1910. (6-L-91)

PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD.

4 O'Connell-street, Sydney, March 4, 1910.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the following Positions, and should be made on a form for the purpose, obtainable at the Office of the Board, or from Clerks of Petty Sessions in country districts, and must reach the undersigned not later than the dates specified:—

MONDAY, 7th MARCH, 1910.

A COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION will be held on 11th March, 1910, for the Position of LIBRARY ASSISTANT (Male), in the Public Library (3 Vacancies) (Clerical Division), salary commencing at £75 per annum. The subjects of the examination will be:—English Literature, general; French or German, translation at sight; Library Economy, including cataloguing. Candidates must not be less than 16 years of age nor more than 30 years, and will be required to pay an examination fee of 10s, which must be lodged with a Clerk of Petty Sessions or the Treasury, and the receipt therefor forwarded to the Secretary to the Board, with the form of application. Candidates already permanently employed in the Public Service who qualify at the examination will receive first consideration.

INSPECTORS (2), temporarily required in connection with the erection of station buildings and car-sheds, railway and tramway extension, Railway and Tramway Construction Branch. Pay is at the rate of £4 per week. Applicants should be capable of looking after the erection of buildings, and have had experience in the class of work referred to.

ENGINEERING SURVEYOR (temporary), Department of Public Works, in connection with country towns Water Supplies. The rate of pay is £250 per annum, with allowances, as provided under the Public Service Board's Regulations.

MONDAY, 14th MARCH, 1910.

INSPECTOR OF STEEL WORK, temporarily required for the North Coast Railway, Department of Public Works. Rate of pay will be £5 per week. Applicants should have had experience in this class of work and in the erection of steel bridges.

MONDAY, 18th APRIL, 1910.

COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS will be held in Sydney and at various country centres for the following Positions in the State Public Service:—

JUNIOR CLERKS (Clerical Division). Estimated number of appointments to be made is 60, of which 8 will be reserved for candidates already employed in the General Division, and 10 for candidates employed as temporary Junior Clerks under Regulation 131. Commencing salary £50 per annum.

CADET DRAFTSMEN (Professional Division). Estimated number of appointments to be made is 30. Commencing salary £75 per annum.

Date of these examinations will be 16th May and following days. Candidates other than persons already permanently employed in the Public Service must not be less than 15 nor more than 21 years of age, but successful candidates cannot be appointed until they have reached 16 years of age. All candidates will be required to pay an examination fee of 10s for each separate examination, or 15s if they desire to compete at both examinations. The subjects of the examinations and full particulars can be obtained from the notices in the "Government Gazette" or on application at the Board's Office.

By order of the Board,
R. A. GILFILLAN, Secretary.
(9a-118)

Postmaster-General's Department, 1st March, 1910.

TENDERS will be received by the Deputy Postmaster-General, Adelaide, until noon on WEDNESDAY, 23rd March, 1910, for the Supply of WIRE, INSULATORS, BRACKETS, and SPINDLES.

For further particulars see Commonwealth Gazette of 19th February, 1910.

JOHN QUICK, Postmaster-General.

Commonwealth of Australia, Department of Home Affairs, Melbourne, 25th February, 1910.

TENDERS FOR A SITE FOR POST OFFICE AT HAYDONTON, N.S.W.

TENDERS will be received until noon on MONDAY, 21st March, 1910, from persons willing to sell to the Commonwealth Government land with a frontage of not less than 66ft, in the vicinity of Adelaide and Mayne streets, HAYDONTON, N.S.W., suitable for a site for a Post-office.

Tenders to be endorsed as above, and addressed (if by post, prepaid) to the Works Director, Department of Home Affairs, Customs-house, Sydney.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

DAVID MILLER, Secretary, Department of Home Affairs.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE, MELBOURNE.

MILITARY FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

TENDERS FOR CADET ACCOUTREMENTS.

TENDERS for the Manufacture and Supply of Cadet Accoutrements will be received by the Secretary, Department of Defence, Victoria Barracks, Melbourne, up till 4 p.m. on 22nd MARCH, 1910.

Forms of Tender, Conditions of Contract, and full particulars may be obtained, and sealed patterns seen, at the Office of the Senior Ordnance Officer:—

New South Wales—Ordnance Department, George-street, Circular Quay, Sydney.
Victoria—Ordnance Department, Victoria Barracks, Melbourne.
Queensland—Ordnance Department, Petrie-terrace, Brisbane.
South Australia—Ordnance Department, Adelaide.
Western Australia—Ordnance Department, Perth.
Tasmania—Ordnance Department, Hobart.

S. A. PETHEBRIDGE, Acting Secretary, Department of Defence.

A.A.S. Corps' Office, Victoria Barracks, Sydney, 4th March, 1910.

COMMONWEALTH MILITARY FORCES, N. S. WALES.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLY OF UNIFORM CLOTHING.

TENDERS are invited until noon of the 21st MARCH, 1910, for the SUPPLY of UNIFORM CLOTHING for the A.A.S. Corps Militia.

Tender Forms can be obtained and Sealed Pattern Uniform seen at the A.A.S. Corps' Drill Hall, Victoria Barracks, Sydney.

REG. SELWYN SMITH, Major, Comdg. A.A.S. Corps Militia.

COMMONWEALTH PUBLIC SERVICE.

APPOINTMENT OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEER, POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT, QUEENSLAND.

Applications are invited, returnable on Saturday, 19th March, from persons qualified to fill the Position of Electrical Engineer, Postmaster-General's Department, Queensland; salary £520 to £600 per annum.

The Position is in the Professional Division, and is open to applicants whether inside or outside the service, who should state their qualifications and experience in Electrical Engineering, as applied to telegraphic and telephonic construction and maintenance, and furnish evidence of same.

Applications to be addressed The Secretary, Commonwealth Public Service, Melbourne.

D. C. McLACHLAN, Commissioner.
W. J. SKEWES, Secretary.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

Department of Home Affairs, Melbourne, 4th March, 1910.

TENDERS will be received, subject to the conditions of tendering, for

(1) Erection of Fencing, etc, at FEDERAL GOVERNMENT HOUSE, Sydney; and

(2) Enclosing Verandahs, etc, at Military Buildings, SOUTH HEAD, Port Jackson,

until twelve o'clock on MONDAY, 21st March, 1910.

Drawings and Specifications may be seen at the office of the Works Director, Customs-house, Sydney.

Tenders to be endorsed as above, and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Works Director, Sydney.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Tenders are to be in all cases on the printed forms, which can be obtained at the Works Director's Office.

DAVID MILLER, Secretary for Home Affairs.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.

Application having been made to bring the Land hereunder described under the provisions of the Real Property Act, Certificate of Indefeasible Title will issue, unless Caveat be lodged in accordance with the Third Schedule of the said Act, on or before the 6th APRIL, 1910:—

No. 15,422. Applicant:—THOMAS HENRY PEARSE, Hinton. Land:—County Durham, parish Seaham, shire Port Stephens, 400 acres 2 roods 16 perches, on road from Maitland to Raymond Terrace, near Hinton,—lot 4, and part lots 3 and 6, Boundary Estate, part lot 1, Hinton Estate, and land adjoining, being part 2000 acres (portion 30 of parish) granted to James M'Clement, part 600 acres (portion 31 of parish) granted to Robert Goram Dillon, part (portion 47 of parish) granted to Thomas Magnet, and part 95 acres (portion 33 of parish) granted to James Phillip Webber; adjoining properties of A. M'Pherson, R. Skinner, E. Minslow, R. Ralston, W. Anderson, F. and W. Man, J. R. Christian, Mrs. W. Christian, and Mrs. E. Beavis.

Diagrams delineating this land may be inspected at the Lands Titles Office, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

W. G. H. WILLIAMS, Registrar-General.
16th February, 1910. (16-34)

NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.

Applications having been made to bring the Lands hereunder described under the provisions of the Real Property Act, Certificates of Indefeasible Title will issue, unless Caveats be lodged in accordance with the Third Schedule of the said Act, on or before the 22nd MARCH, 1910.—

No. 15,977. Applicant: JAMES JOHN RANGER BAXTER, Collector. Land:—County Argyle, parish Collector, shire Gunning, 222 acres 2 roods, in O'Sullivan-street, at Collector,—Lots 6 to 11, T. A. Murray's subdivision, and part 1280 acres (portion 14 of parish) granted to Terence Aubrey Murray; adjoining properties of J. T. and W. J. Sheridan.

No. 16,140. Applicant:—LYNDA RUTH BEAUMONT, Sydney. Land:—Municipality of Burwood, 5 acres 17 perches, in Acton and Lang streets, at Croydon,—lot 5, section 1, Ashfield Park Estate, and part 25 acres (portion 269 of parish) granted to James Brackenrig; adjoining properties of P. Bevan and Riley.

No. 16,142. Applicant:—WILLIAM ARTHUR POWER, Baulkham Hills. Land:—County Cumberland, parish Field of Mars, shire Baulkham Hills, 18 acres 1 perch, on Castle Hill road,—part 100 acres (portion 31 of parish) granted to Andrew M'Dougall; adjoining property of E. G. Crane.

No. 16,180. Applicant:—JOHN HUNTER STEPHENSON, Sydney. Land:—Municipality of Balmain, 19 perches, in Beattie-street,—part lot 4, section 6, Balmain Estate, and part 550 acres granted to William Balmain; adjoining properties of Executors late J. M'Culloch, D. K. Lurtis, and W. C. Hemrick.

No. 16,205. Applicant: MARY KEYFOOT, Wagga Wagga. Land:—Municipality Wagga Wagga, 1 rood 9 perches, in Johnston-street, town South Wagga Wagga,—part allotment 12, section 36, granted to John Best; adjoining properties of W. S. Eaton and Department of Public Instruction.

No. 16,223. Applicant:—CHARLOTTE JANE M'RAE, Glen Innes. Land:—Municipality Marrickville, 6 acres 2 roods 1½ perches, in Livingstone, Petersham roads,—lots 1 and 2 and part lot 3, section 2, division 2F Petersham Estate, and part 30 acres granted to Robert Abell, and also part 30 acres granted to John Jeffries; adjoining properties of J. M'Grath and G. W. Dawson.

No. 16,237. Applicant:—FRANCIS GEORGE REX, Darlinghurst. Land:—City Sydney, 7¾ perches and 1½ perches, in Forbes and Judge streets, Woolloomooloo,—part section 8, Tivoli Estate, and part 9 acres 3 roods 4 perches granted to Alexander Macduff Baxter; adjoining properties of Mrs. E. Wangenheim, T. A. Curran, J. Wilson, and H. H. Brown.

No. 16,248. Applicants:—THERESA MARY MITCHELL, EVELYN EDITH MITCHELL, LUCY MITCHELL, all Glebe Point, ERNEST ALBERT MITCHELL, Chatswood, and WILLIAM HENRY DOUGLAS MITCHELL, Glebe Point. Land:—Municipality St. Peters, 3 roods 7¾ perches, in Gannon-street, Tempe,—part 60 acres granted to Thomas Smyth; adjoining properties of F. Gannon, R. M'Auley, W. C. Moore, St. Joseph's Building Society, M. Doyle, Mrs. E. A. Gaw, and Mrs. L. Lenahan.

No. 16,322. Applicant:—FAIRLIE HAROLD THOMSON, Sydney. Land:—Municipality Scone and shire Woolooma, 3 acres 1 rood 15 perches and 15 acres 1 rood 23½ perches, on Great North-road and on Great Northern Railway,—part 794 acres (portion 12 of parish) and part 626 (portion 13 of parish) granted to William Dumaresq; adjoining properties of Simpson and Company, S. H. Tronson, J. Greggon, and H. E. Miller.

Diagrams delineating these lands may be inspected at the Land Titles Office, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

W. G. H. WILLIAMS, Registrar-General.
16th February, 1910. (16-36)

Department of Public Works, Sydney, March 4, 1910.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.

TENDERS for the Works, etc., specified below will be received at this Department until 2 o'clock p.m. on the dates mentioned:—

MONDAY, MARCH 7, 1910.

Additions and Repairs to Jetty at Byron Bay.
Construction of Brown's Creek Stormwater Channel, Lismore.
Erection of New Building for Post Office, Werris Creek.
Erection of Manual Training and Science Rooms, Public School, Inverell.
Erection of New Buildings, Public School, Ourimbah.
Erection of Waiting Shed, Awning to Cargo Shed, Landing Stage; Erection of Crane and Laying Tram Loop at Woolgoolga Jetty. (Fresh tenders.)
Erection of New Building, Public School, La Perouse.
Improvements to Public School, Corowa. (Fresh tenders.)
Repairs, Painting, etc., to School and Residence, Public School, Wollongong.
Repairs, etc., to Public School, Marshall Mount.
Improvements and Repairs, Public School, Berry.
Erection of New Kitchen, etc, Police Station, Rose Hill.
Improvements to Public School, Randwick. (Fresh Tenders.)
Improvements to Public School, Woollahra. (Fresh Tenders.)
Conversion of Women's Cells into Dormitories, Benevolent Asylum, Newington.
Repairs, etc., to Police Station, Balmain.
Alterations, Repairs, etc, to Post-office, Clifton.
Repairs, Renovations, etc, Post-office, Windsor.

MONDAY, MARCH 14, 1910.

Construction of Bridges, Regulators, and Cutting, Great Ana-branch, Darling River. (Time extended.)
Erection of Police Buildings, Wollombi.
Erection of Police Buildings, Portland.
Erection of New Buildings, Public School, Artarmon.
Erection of New Residence, Public School, Sweetman's Creek.
Removal of Residence from Camboon and Re-erection at Breakfast Creek, and Repairs to School, Public School, Breakfast Creek.
Additions and Repairs to Police Station, Rockdale.
Alterations to Telephone Exchange, Post-office, Glebe. (Fresh Tenders.)
Renovations and Repairs, Courthouse, Wollongong.
Installing New Hot Water Service, Male Lazaret, Coast Hospital, Little Bay.
Erection of Retaining Wall around Nurses' Quarters, Hospital for Insane, Gladesville.
Connecting with Sewer, Governor's and Deputy Governor's Quarters, Parramatta Gaol.

MONDAY, MARCH 21, 1910.

Construction of an Oil-driven Timber Punt for Blackman's Point, Hastings River.
Erection of New Building, Public School, Drake.
Improvements and Additions to Public School, Willoughby-street, city.
Erection of New Building, Public School, Opossum Creek.
Erection of School and Residence, Public School, Mullengrove.
Improvements, etc, to Public School, Glebe.
Construction of Effluent Channel from Filter Beds, Newington Asylum Sewerage.
Erection of New Weather Shed, etc., Public School, North Annandale.
Additions, etc., to Public School, Adamstown.
Erection of Manual Training and Science Rooms, Public School, Naremburn.
Erection of New Building for Post-office, Tingha.
Erection of New Telephone Exchange, Post-office, Paddington.
Manufacture, etc., of 12,000 tons of 60lb Steel Rails.
Replacing of Wooden Storey Posts and Girders supporting floor, with Iron Columns and Steel Girders, Newington Asylum.
Additions and alterations to School and Residence, Public School, Belbora. (Fresh tenders.)
Additions to Southern Entrance Lodge, University of Sydney.
Improvements to Lavatory and Sanitary Arrangements, ...
Removal of Sheds, etc., Public School, Gordon.

TUESDAY, MARCH 29, 1910.

Extension of Wollongong Water Supply to Mount Pleasant Coke Works.
Erection of Bridge over Murray River at Bringenbrong road ... to Corryong.
Erection of Bridge over Drain on Line A8, Moobi and Crabbe's Creek Swamp Drainage.
Additions to Public School, Hagownie.
Erection of New Fire Escape Stairs, Hospital for Insane, Kenmore.
Construction of Septic Tanks and Filter, Male Prison, Penitentiary, Long Bay.
Improvements and Repairs, Public School, Greenwich.
Additions, Alterations, etc., to School and Residence, Public School, Longueville.
Erection of New Building, Public School, Nambucca.
Repairs, etc., to Courthouse, Albury.
Erection of New Abattoirs at Homebush. (Time extended.)

MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1910.

Construction of First Section of Cooma to Bombala Railway, viz., Cooma to Nimitybelle.
Extension of Reticulation, Water Supply, Murwillumbah.
Erection of New Buildings for Electrical Engineering Department, Sydney Technical College, Ultimo.
New ... Lift for Letter Sorters' Room, General Post Office, Sydney.
Erection of Commonwealth Stores, Darling Island.

MONDAY, APRIL 11, 1910.

Construction of the First Section of the Southern and Western Suburbs Ocean Outfall Sewer. (Time further extended.)
Erection of New Bridge over Lagoon in Approach to Bridge over the Murray River at Howlong.

MONDAY, APRIL 18, 1910.

Manufacture, Supply, and Erection of Electrically Driven Pumping Machinery for No. 1 Pumping Station, Low Level Sewerage, Newcastle.

CHARLES A. LEE.
(6a-72)

Department of Lands, Sydney, 24th February, 1910.

THE attention of all persons interested is invited to a notification in the "Government Gazette" of the 23rd February, 1910, with respect to PROPOSED CLOSING OF UNNECESSARY PART OF ROAD, Carr-street, to wit the part about 18 perches commencing on south side of Carr-street, at its junction with east side of Beach-street; thence northerly by a fenced line on stone retaining wall; thence by that retaining wall north-westerly to northern side of Carr-street; thence easterly by that side of Carr-street to high-water mark of Pacific Ocean; thence by that high-water mark to southern side of Carr-street aforesaid; thence by that side of Carr-street westerly to point of commencement at Beach-street, Parish of Alexandria, county of Cumberland, municipality of Randwick. This proposed closing is in substitution and in lieu of proposed closing of part of Carr-street, notified in "Government Gazette," 20th October, 1909, folio 5732.

PROPOSED ALIGNMENT OF HAWTHORNE-PARADE, Municipality of Ashfield.

Copies of the "Government Gazette" may be inspected at the Crown Lands Office and the Police Office of the district.

ROBERT McDONALD, Under-Secretary.
(5a-110)

Department of Home Affairs, Melbourne, 16th February, 1910.

TENDERS will be received until 11 o'clock WEDNESDAY, 16th MARCH, 1910, for the SUPPLY OF A MOTOR LAUNCH FOR THE TRAWLER "ENDEAVOUR."

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THE KITCHENER SCHEME.

NUMBERS, ORGANISATION, TRAINING.

(BY COLONEL H. FOSTER, DIRECTOR OF MILITARY STUDIES, SYDNEY UNIVERSITY.)

II.

In the first article a general glance was thrown over the whole scheme for establishing a national army on a sound and lasting foundation. Some observations will now be made on details as regards the numbers, organisation, and training when the scheme is in operation.

NUMBERS.

In any year there will be 115,625 young men over whom the law of compulsory training will have a hold. Details will be found in paragraph 15 of the scheme. Of these but 103,175 will be undergoing training. The last quota, men of 25 to 26, will only be required to come up once in the year to be mustered.

Of these 103,175 men, 17,075 are the recruits. They will join at 18, knowing the rudiments of drill and how to shoot, which they will have learnt in their school training (paragraph 67). But this "cannot replace recruit training, which is a necessary preliminary to the production of an efficient and trained citizen soldier" (paragraph 10a). The remaining 86,100 men between 19 and 25 form the national army on its "peace establishment." Of these the 80,100 men of the Infantry, Light Horse, and Artillery from the fighting force, 6000 the Engineers, Ambulance, and Army Service Corps troops.

To bring the fighting force to "war strength" about 25,000 men are required, and some 4600 will be needed for the others (whose establishments are not yet fixed). These 29,000 will be supplied by the recruit class, and the last class from 25 to 26 years, amounting to 29,525. The total war strength of the National Army will be nearly 115,000 men.

THE ORGANISATION PROPOSED.

This National Army will be organised into the following units:—

Infantry.—21 brigades, of 4 battalions each, with 8 companies and a machine-gun section.

Light Horse.—28 regiments, each comprising 4 squadrons and a machine-gun section.

Artillery.—56 batteries of 4 guns, or 224 in all, of which 49 batteries are of field guns and 7 heavy guns and howitzers. Ammunition columns will be formed only on completion to war strength, from the two classes of recruits and trained men of 25 then brought in.

Engineers.—21 companies, 14 being "field companies," and 7 "communication companies," for the telegraph, telephone, wireless, and signal communication throughout the army in the field.

Field Ambulances.—21.

Army Service Corps Companies.—21.

The war strength of these units is as follows:—

A Battalion, 29 officers, 1001 men.

A Company, 3 officers, 5 N.C.O's, 2 buglers, 110 men.

A.L.H. Regiment, 29 officers, 470 men.

A Squadron, 6 officers, 10 N.C.O.'s, 2 trumpeters, 89 men.

A Field Battery, 5 officers, 146 men.

The strength of the other units is not yet decided.

The peace strength is about one-quarter less for a battalion, one-third less for a L.H. regiment, 16 men less for a battery, or 750, 350, and 130 respectively. The number of officers is the same in peace as in war. Each of these corps will have its permanent locality, whence its officers and men are drawn, its territorial title, and number. The existing corps will survive, but a number of new ones will have to be created, nearly as many again of infantry, half as many again of Light Horse, and nearly three times as many of artillery. As each corps will have a permanent existence, due chiefly to the continuous service of its officers and a few sergeants, it is hoped it will develop its own esprit-de-corps, or regimental pride in its efficiency and history.

PROPOSED FUTURE EXTENSION OF THIS ORGANISATION.

As regards higher organisation into larger units, none is proposed in the scheme. This is no doubt because it is essential, for many years, that attention should be entirely devoted to producing efficient brigades of infantry, regiments of light horse, and batteries of artillery, under officers competent to command them in war. Also, it is not to be expected that the total force of 84 battalions, 28 light horse regiments, and 56 batteries, will ever be concentrated as a whole. By paragraph 4, about half the total will have to be allotted for the defence of the chief cities and ports. This, however, means half the total, or nearly 50,000 men, and not necessarily half the number of units of each arm. Light horse and guns are more suitable for field operations, infantry for local defence. But even a field force of nearly 60,000 men cannot be collected together, unless eventually grouped in larger formations than proposed. The scheme seems to point to a future organisation on British lines, in which the ambulance and the army service corps company are attached to each brigade; divisions are formed of three brigades, with cavalry, artillery, the communication company, and two field companies, attached; and there are separate cavalry brigades of three regiments, with horse artillery attached.

The figures proposed for Australia lend themselves to this supposition. There are 21 ambulances and 21 A.S.C. companies for the 21 brigades, which would obviously supply the infantry brigades for seven divisions; and for the latter there are the seven communication and 14 field companies. If each division has the L.H. regiment there will be left 21 regiments. Giving the horsemen for seven brigades of artillery, there are seven heavy batteries for the seven divisions and 49 field batteries, which would allow one per L.H. brigade, and two brigades (each of three batteries, with its ammunition column like the British) for each of the seven divisions. This higher organisation is, however, left to be introduced in the future, after the lower units are well officered and thoroughly trained.

TRAINING.

The existing law demands of youths from 18 to 20 16 days' training—eight in camp, eight at home. The essential feature of the new system is to extend compulsory training in camp for six days annually, to men from 18 to 25, in addition to the training near their homes. It is on this home training that the instruction of the national army really depends. The few days in camp Lord Kitchener regards rather as the opportunity of testing what the men have learnt, than of teaching them. The home training is, therefore, of essential importance to the army and the nation. Lord Kitchener points out in paragraph 67 that he is aware how much self-denial and devotion to duty it demands of the soldier. But he hopes and believes that the men's patriotism will produce these qualities, and public opinion will expect and enforce this sacrifice. If not, there is, as paragraph 7 emphasises, little hope of forming an efficient national force, unless, indeed, the compulsory period were extended, which would be more galling to the men, and costly to the nation.

This "home training" will be carried on by portions of companies, squadrons, and batteries, according to the degree of dispersion of the men's homes, and the position of convenient centres of training.

TRAINING AREAS.

The means of imparting the instruction is as follows:—The populated districts are divided into 215 training areas, each provided with an officer charged with the instruction of all the officers and men in it. He will be assisted by one or two non-commissioned officers.

These areas are limited in extent, and those in the country are arranged to lie along the railway, so that the officer has ready access to all centres of training, and can visit each constantly. In each area there will be a portion of a battalion, regiment of light horse, battery, and other units, or from 12 to 20 officers and 350 men in the country, or rather more in the cities. These numbers will not be too great to allow an active instructor to give individual attention to the training of the officers, which is all important, and with their help to instruct their men.

Over every ten areas is a major, whose duty is to supervise the training carried out in his areas. Each of these groups of ten areas supplies one complete brigade, with some squadrons of light horse, two or three batteries, and one company of engineers, one of the army service boys, and one field ambulance. This officer is the staff officer of his brigade, and his subordinate officers supply the adjutants for battalions and regiments of light horse. All are to be officers of the units they train, and will reside permanently in these areas, so that the citizen soldiers will not feel they are being instructed by strange officers from outside. Besides training the units of the army, these officers have to train the recruit class and the senior cadets. They only inspect the junior cadets from 12 to 14 years old. They have to organise the rifle clubs in their area.

REGISTRATION AND ENROLMENT.

The area officer is responsible for keeping up the registration of the men liable for service, and enrolling them as recruits. He insures them coming to training annually, and their being available as reserve men after they are 26, according to the present law.

It will thus be seen that the citizen officer is relieved from the present difficult task of recruiting and keeping up the strength of his command, and can attend solely to his own military education and training of his men.

When the army is mobilised for war, and four or five area officers leave their areas to go with their corps, as adjutants, there will still be left in the group of 10 areas five or six officers to carry on the organisation of recruits, and men over 26 liable to be called up as reservists, so as to replenish the wastage of the units. This should be noted, as it is a most important point in keeping up the army during a war.

TRAINING BY UNITS.

These areas should thoroughly provide for the fundamental training by small bodies, but the method of training by complete units has to be explained. The areas are grouped into battalion areas, by twos in the cities and by threes in the country. Each battalion area supplies a complete battalion of infantry, one or two squadrons of light horse (in a few cases three or four), a battery of artillery, as well as an engineer company, or field ambulance, or army service corps company, but not all of these together in any one area.

Thus, by occasionally uniting the small bodies from two or three areas for week-ends or holidays, it will be possible to effect the training of battalions, regiments of light horse, batteries, etc. (Para. 80.) Brigade training will be carried out in the annual compulsory camps, by uniting the troops of ten areas. Every year three brigades will be brought together in larger camps for continued training. This will afford practice to commanders, staffs, and railways in moving numbers of troops. Every corps in the country will thus be sent to a large camp once in seven years, so that every soldier will participate in such a camp once during his service.

THE INSTRUCTION OFFICERS.

The instruction officer, as emphasised in paragraphs 35 and 36, must be carefully selected, thoroughly trained, and scientifically educated. He must be a man of character, with tact and a high sense of duty, and must concentrate all his energies on his work. The high standard of qualifications required of him is shown in paragraph 36. He must be a good leader, a strict disciplinarian, and a thoroughly competent officer, and, as Lord Kitchener states in paragraph 34, he is the keystone of the citizen force. The influence which these instruction officers should have on the citizen force is forcibly described in paragraph 25, which is worth careful perusal. Each of them will be judged by the condition of training the units attain under his guidance. This is the principle by which officers are judged in the German service, where there are no examinations for promotion, but an officer is not considered efficient unless the unit he commands knows its work, whether he be the captain of a company or the general of a brigade. It remains to explain how it is insured that this most important post—that of the instruction officer in each area—is to be invariably filled by a man of the very high qualifications which are essential. This is to be effected by giving him when young a long and thorough training—physical, mental, and moral—at the Military College a description of which must be deferred to a subsequent article.

[The first of these articles appeared in the "Herald" of Monday, February 21.]

THE GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANK PURCHASE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—As an assurance has been given that the trustees have not yet signed the proposed contract for the purchase of the Royal Hotel, it may not be too late to suggest that for several reasons it would be preferable that the new banking house should be erected somewhere in the vicinity of the present building. Judging from the stream of pedestrians which now passes the Royal Hotel in business hours, it is safe to predict that in five years, with the great increase of population which is bound to take place, the infirm and aged, who constitute so large a section of depositors, will find it difficult to wend their way to the bank's counters. Martin-place is not only central, but it is rapidly becoming the focus of the professional and business life of the city. The extension of this great thoroughfare right through to Macquarie-street within the next few years will become imperative, and inasmuch as the Government in some shape or form is ready to provide £60,000 for a new site for the new Savings Bank, that outlay might be applied to extending Martin-place through to Elizabeth-street, and the acquirement of a three-frontage block for the bank. The sale of the frontages on the other side of the extension would in all probability result in the citizens being presented with a big improvement at a nominal cost. It should also be borne in mind that inasmuch as the trustees propose to erect a building with several floors available for tenants, that a better return is more likely to be obtained from offices in Martin-place than in George-street. The rentals received from the upper floors of the Queen Victoria Markets are not such as to encourage belief that the Royal Hotel site would be a better money-bringer than one provided by the extension of Martin-place.

Feb. 28. I am, etc., J. E. C.

THE LACHLAN SWAMP.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The depletion of the water from the ponds in Centennial Park is causing some concern, as they are justly considered to add to the attractiveness of the scene. I would like to offer a suggestion. The site, as you are aware, was known as the Lachlan Swamps, and the water from it formed the first water supply of Sydney, about 1835. These swamps were themselves the result of some geological formation traversing the original valley, probably a band of sandstone rock elevated by some upheaval higher than the natural grade of the stream, thereby causing a marshy condition above that obstruction.

While in the service of the City Council as city engineer I made some search for such a band of rock without success until too late, because the Nepean water scheme was then nearly completed.

In 1886 I discovered a small outcrop of rock which seemed likely to be continuous, across the valley, but the greater part of its length being underground I cannot speak confidently of its continuity.

A few trial pits or sand borings would determine that point at a very small cost. If by means of such trials it be found continuous it could be utilised as a foundation for a puddle wall, that is a perpendicular wall of puddled clay supported on each side by the sand of the dam. This would constitute a retentive dam, impounding the water of the stream and raising the level of the ponds by 10 or 12 feet, or even more, in perpetuity. Of course, proper sluices and bywashes would be provided.

It is reported that Mr. Maiden, who has charge of the park, finds that no funds are available for such a work at present. Meantime I am placing it on record for future consideration, should it ever be considered desirable to act on it, and thereby to prevent the deep drainage of Kensington, which is doubtless the cause of the depletion, from lowering the level of the reservoir. If requested, I would be happy to point out the outcrop of rock in question. I visited the spot yesterday in order to assure myself that recent operations had not covered it.

I am, etc., J. TREVOR JONES.
March 1.

PRISON CHIEF.

MR. M'CAULEY'S EXCLUSION.

AN OFFICIAL EXPLANATION.

IS IT SATISFACTORY?

Public criticism has brought out some sort of an explanation in respect to the appointment of Comptroller-General of Prisons. It has not come from the Government. The responsible Minister, Mr. Garland, was not prepared to discuss the matter any further yesterday. He had previously explained that he had good reasons for regarding Mr. M'Cauley as an "excellent man for the position of Deputy-Comptroller." The explanation has come officially from the Public Service Board, and is the following:—

The Government in this case left the board with an absolutely free hand. The usual course was followed in making the fact of the vacancy known, and in inviting applications from senior officers of all departments. The board visited the Prisons Department, and obtained from Mr. M'Cauley a full statement of his duties and of his experience. The result of this visit impressed the board favourably, but another factor in the case remained to be investigated. It was known to the board that previously, when Mr. M'Cauley was placed for a time in charge of the department towards the end of 1907, a serious mental breakdown occurred. At that time Captain Neitenstein himself had waited upon the board to request that Mr. M'Cauley should be removed from his branch of the service. It was also known that his medical adviser had then suggested his retirement from the service.

The result of the further investigation by the board into the circumstances convinced them that to repeat the experiment of placing Mr. M'Cauley in charge was inadvisable in his own interests as well as in the interests of the department. They would not take the responsibility of recommending to the Government the appointment of an officer to the permanent position of supreme control who had suffered from a malady which under similar exciting conditions might be expected to recur, and under the influence of which the administration of the Prisons Department might at any time be seriously affected. They recognise that as the executive assistant to Captain Neitenstein Mr. M'Cauley has done excellent work, and it was and is their desire that he should continue under the considerate supervision of the new Comptroller to discharge the duties he is so well qualified to carry out.

In the whole matter there has been no attempt to use influence of any kind on the board. They have arrived at their conclusion on the strict merits of the case, and are fully prepared to accept the responsibility of their action, and to wait for the endorsement of experience to demonstrate the soundness of the judgment arrived at. Up to the present the board in Mr. M'Cauley's own interests has refrained from making any public statement of the reasons that influenced them in declining to recommend his appointment, but in view of the attention attracted to the case by the press comments it has been deemed desirable to give this explanation of the board's attitude.

The members of the board explained that during the year mentioned (1907) Captain Neitenstein was appointed temporarily to the board, but he continued to exercise supervision over the Prisons Department. They also said that advertising was the usual course to adopt when important positions had to be filled. It was also usual, when this advertising was confined to the "Government Gazette," to send out circulars calling for applications from within the service. They explained, furthermore, that this was not done in connection with the appointment of Director of Forestry for the reason that this was a special class of work, for which Mr. Hay was known to be suitable. They were next asked if the Government, or any member of it, had directly or indirectly, given a hint that Mr. M'Cauley's nomination would not be acceptable. The reply to this was "No; the Government left the board perfectly free in the matter."

It comes to this, that in the opinion of members of the board Mr. M'Cauley, who has been doing the combined work of Comptroller and Deputy for some months past, is not a fit and proper person to be in the chief position. They quote Captain Neitenstein. Mr. M'Cauley (who has been under Captain Neitenstein for the last three years), quotes the same authority—but with the later knowledge. Captain Neitenstein said, in his recommendation, that, apart from any personal feeling, "there is the department to be considered, and I feel strongly that you are the only man who could be trusted to run the place properly." He added, "No branch of the Public Service needs more care and expert knowledge, and it would be the easiest thing out to set the whole place at cross purposes. It would be a grievous blow to me to find the department proceeding on wrong lines, and to see the many reforms effected of late years in any way jeopardised." In the face of this members of Parliament might still ask has justice been done to a worthy aspirant?

The appointment has been freely discussed by the police of the metropolitan district, and general regret is expressed at the loss of Mr. MacFarlane from the bench, as he was regarded as a very suitable magistrate from the point of view of the police prosecutors. At the same time the police have been unable to suggest any reason why Mr. MacFarlane's qualifications should be considered preferable to those of Mr. M'Cauley.

In the report of the proceedings leading up to the appointment of Mr. MacFarlane as Comptroller-General of Prisons, published in the "Herald" yesterday, the sentence beginning, "The invitation was given to him either by the Government or the Board" should read:—"No invitation was given to him either by the Government or the Board."

UNFINISHED AUSTRALIAN RAILWAYS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—As a comparative newcomer to Australia, I have been struck by the want of enterprise exhibited by those who control the railway system of the State. It has caused a doubt to arise in my mind whether the interests of the community are best served by the railways being in the hands of the Government, or whether better and quicker development would not take place were they in the hands of private enterprise. I know that Australia is wedded to the system, and I admit there is something to be urged on both sides, but so far as my experience goes I am of opinion that with a new country such as this private enterprise would have done much more to open up settlement away from the port than the Government have done. My observations lead me to the belief that the people would be better served and the country much more quickly settled were the railways in the hands of a properly constituted company or companies. In one respect I am certain the public would be advantaged, in that they would be much better catered for in regard to rapidity of travel and in the cost of transit. I confess I have not been very long in the country, and with extended residence may be brought to change my views—I am told I will—but at present I am not in favour of a system that starts to make a railway and stops a few miles short of its ultimate destination, "spoiling the ship for a pen'orth of tar." Such a system can hardly be expected to be anything but a burden on the taxpayer. I can conceive of no greater want of business acumen or shrewd railway management that such a state of affairs provides. I was recently over the Belmore line to look for a likely manufacturing site with a water frontage, and was amazed to find that the railway was allowed to stop in the middle of the bush instead of being carried to George's River, two or three miles beyond, where I am told there are ideal sites for manufacturing and other purposes. I was also informed that the river is a very fair one, with picturesque scenery along its course, but it is practically impossible for city dwellers to enjoy the advantages to be found there, because the railway breaks off a couple of miles away from the object point. Under any progressive railway system the connection with the river would be made in a few months, and it is inexplicable that the Government has not long ago made a finished job of this line. I could not ascertain that there were any conflicting or opposition interests to be considered, as no steam communication exists on the river, and this makes the present condition of affairs the more incomprehensible. If such a railway and such a situation were in America, no time would be lost in connecting up such a waterway with the metropolis or port. I am not aware whether the work is one that should be carried out by the Board of Railway Commissioners or by the Executive Government, but as matters stand they are a reflection on someone for the want of enterprise the present situation manifests. Will someone stir up the 'possum?

I am, etc., MANUFACTURER.

MARRIED MEN WITH FAMILIES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I concur with "X.Y.Z." when he states that more consideration should be shown to the married men with families in the Public Service. I do not altogther agree with his remarks about Mr. Deakin, but I must say that the organisation of the Postal Department in the matter of appointments is a disgrace to the service. Take, for instance, a couple of examples in the Manning River district. Cundletown Post-office has a large and commodious two-story dwelling, yet there the department kept a single man in the position of postmaster for years, and then sent as a successor a man with one child, to occupy a building which a man with a large family should fill. Again, at the present time the district office—Taree—with a large residence, has a single man in charge, while there are numbers of suitable men with large families living in most miserable and small residences. Surely this state of affairs should not be; but of course some of the controlling officers, pitch-forked into their positions, with high salaries, have a blank where their bump of organisation ought to be, and until they are got rid of and capable men put in their places these evils will exist. I am, etc.,

Feb. 26. W. J. S.

CHAIR OF AGRICULTURE.

"EXPERTS IN PARTICULAR SCIENCES."

PROFESSOR WATT EXPLANATORY.

The committee of the New South Wales Chamber of Commerce held an informal reception yesterday afternoon to meet Professor Watt, who has been appointed to the Chair of Agriculture recently established at the Sydney University.

Mr. Winchcombe, the president, in proposing the professor's health, said he believed one of the great drawbacks to Australia in the past had been the fact that most of the farming had been done by rule of thumb methods, and there had been a complete lack of scientific training for young men wishing to go on the land. Of late years agricultural colleges had been established, and had done a great deal to supply this want, but the establishment of a chair of agriculture would give still further prominence to the agricultural industry. Professor Watt would find opportunities of assisting farmers to acquire such a proficiency in the scientific side of their calling that the production per acre of the land under crop would be greatly increased, just as in the course of many years a larger amount of wool per head of sheep had been produced by constant culling and study. For many years Australia had been a pastoral country, but land suitable for agriculture would produce much more wealth under agriculture than by being used merely for stock-raising purposes, and when Australia reached the point at which all the land suitable for agriculture was made use of for agriculture sufficient wheat could be grown to supply the whole of the British Empire. The pursuit of agriculture must be raised in status, so that the young men might look upon it as equally attractive with any of the liberal professions.

Professor Watt, in his reply, observed that lest there should be any misconception as to his duties, he would point out in the first place that it was not to train the farmer direct. It would be too much to expect every man who was going farming to go through a university course. The agricultural college to a certain extent had to prepare men for agricultural life on the land, but the chief, if not the sole object of the university course would be to train men who would be experts in particular sciences connected with agriculture. He hoped, for instance, that the University would, in time, be able to turn out men with sufficient knowledge of chemistry, and, at the same time, of agriculture, to be able to tackle many of the problems with which the ordinary farmer was confronted every day. The University would not teach what could only be learnt on a farm, namely, the details of farm routine, and the establishment of the new chair was not going to straightaway revolutionise agriculture in the State. Its effect would be gradual, and he would ask the people of the State to be patient. Personally, he did not expect to see the fruits of his labour for many years. Old universities in the world were very conservative, and looked askance upon things utilitarian, but at Cambridge, which was looked upon as the most conservative of them all, there was now being established a thoroughly organised school of agriculture. The people of New South Wales were to be congratulated, he thought, on their wisdom in establishing thus early in the history of the University a chair of agriculture.

THE ZOO SITE.

MAROUBRA V ASHTON PARK.

MR. LE SOUEF'S OBJECTIONS.

Mr. A. S. Le Souef, Curator of the Royal Zoological Society, replying to the arguments put forward in favour of the Zoological Gardens being shifted to Maroubra, says that the Maroubra site has been carefully examined, and he believes it would be impossible to successfully keep many animals at it. The sandy nature of the soil would be most deleterious to their health, for although grass would grow in Centennial Park, where it could be protected, the sharp hoofs of the animals in a paddock would cut up the surface, and many of the animals constantly nibbling at this loose material would get full of sand and most likely die. There was also the want of trees and shelter to be considered.

"If the soil is adaptable," says the curator, "why is it not covered with trees, in place of the low bushy scrub always typical of sandy areas? There would also be the exceedingly heavy cost of making and maintaining paths on this soft surface. With reference to the 74th swamp in the centre of the ground, which it is stated 'though now dry offers excellent facilities for making a beautiful artificial lake for wild fowl,' the supporters of Maroubra do not mention how we are to fill this dry swamp, and even supposing that a beautiful sheet of water can in some miraculous way be maintained in this spot, how could the lake be drained for cleaning purposes? Further, a large lake is not suited for a Zoological Gardens. With hundreds of different water-fowl to be exhibited, mostly antagonistic to each other, numerous small ponds are necessary.

"The advocate for Maroubra is evidently not aware of the size a zoological gardens should be, and mentions 250 acres as available, but for our purpose 40 acres is all that is required. In comparing Maroubra with Ashton Park, let me first state that the Zoological Gardens would only occupy a small part of the latter locality, and that no position could more perfectly lend itself for this purpose. Cheapness of construction and protection by the forest of trees already in position are noticeable features; and whereas at Maroubra every stone would have to be quarried and placed in position, we have in the rocky terrace in Ashton Park most of this work already done by nature. Enclosures could also be constructed at infinitely less cost than on the flat positions. Again, paths at Ashton Park can be easily constructed over the already firm surface, and by the occasional damming of a natural creek through the grounds a series of lovely ponds could be obtained. The addition of a marine aquarium is of very great importance, and properly comes within the sphere of a zoological collection, for a large proportion of the animal kingdom is found in the sea. Why should it be divided into two sections? This exhibit can be maintained by the Zoo staff at very little extra cost, and at a low estimate would add £1000 a year to the revenue of the society, which would go towards reducing the Government grant in aid of the gardens. If the aquarium were placed under separate management, with a special staff, all the profits would be absorbed in its upkeep. Giving the proper values for these two sites, we would have at Maroubra a most unsuitable and expensive place, 40 minutes from town, to maintain, from which no additional revenue could be looked for; while at Ashton Park, which is only 15 minutes from Circular Quay, and could be reached at a cost of 2d return, a truly splendid zoological park might be made, which in its beauty and unique attractiveness must quickly become a self-supporting institution, and thus relieve the Government of the heavy cost of maintenance.

"A careful estimate for the building of the Zoo on this site gives a total expenditure of £13,000, but with the absence of natural features at Maroubra the cost would be excessive, and in my humble opinion the place would be foredoomed to failure in any case. However, it is to be hoped that no site will be selected without first having been recommended by experts."

THE STANDARD OIL METHODS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—A few days ago we were informed that dissatisfied with the arbitrary methods of the Standard Oil Company, Germany has sent experts to the United States and Mexico to investigate the oil resources with a view to an independent supply.

It is about time the people of Australia were also dissatisfied with the arbitrary methods of the Standard Oil Trusts in this country, and demanded an investigation as to why it is that Standard Oil kerosene and numerous other products have always been admitted free into Australia excepting one brief period, when New South Wales put 6d per gallon on kerosene for revenue purposes.

It might be interesting to know why the first attempt to put 3d per gallon duty on Standard tinned kerosene in the Federal Parliament was lost "on the voices."

Turning to a later issue of your journal, I read, under the heading "An Oil War," that there is fierce rate-cutting in the oil industry between Weetman Pearson's syndicate and the Standard Oil Company. The latter company is attempting to squeeze Weetman Pearson from the Mexican oilfields.

Between £750,000 and £1,000,000 has already been lost by prices being brought below the cost of production.

If the Standard Oil Trust will lose £1,000,000 in "squeezing" another firm from what it considers its own domain—if it will do these things in its own country, where it has been ostracised from different States, and fined a great many millions of dollars (which it never pays)—what hope has the unprotected Australian oil industry against it?

Then we are told the Minister for Customs (Sir Robert Best) thinks the Germans might turn their attention to Australia, and examine its shale deposits. The Government, he added, would gladly welcome them.

With all due respect I think Sir Robert Best had better turn his attention to the fact that the Australians opening up their shale deposits of the Comonwealth have no protection whatever against the Standard Oil octopus, and to invite and extend a glad welcome to foreigners, while the Australians engaged in the industry are ignored, is a striking anomaly, which let us pray the new Federal Parliament will quickly remove.

March 1. I am, etc, ANTI-MONOPOLY.

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BIG V. SMALL MINES.

WASTED EFFORTS.

COMBINATION OF MINES AND ORE BLENDING.

One cannot get away from the fact that there is a great deal of wasted effort, and, therefore, unjustifiable expenditure, in certain directions of the mining industry. Obstinacy and ignorance upon the part of directors and shareholders are the cause. Very often it is due to the failure of mining investors to grasp the importance of a big company working several mines at a profit, whereas singly they are run at a loss, because of the impossibility of being able to secure an effective blending of ores.

This particularly refers to copper mines, which, owing to the want of a basic material, are compelled to purchase barren ironstone flux. It also refers to a mine which for want of sufficient silica has to buy siliclous ores. The same disability exists in the case of a silver-lead, or silver-lead and gold-copper mine, whose lode is not a self-fluxing proposition.

This wasted effort also applies with equal force to the folly of mining companies operating small leases on the same line of reef. It is not uncommon to see two, three, or even four, companies undertaking the unnecessary expenditure of sinking shafts and erecting costly haulage and treatment machinery on a piece of ground that should be exploited by one shaft and treatment plant.

This obstinacy, ignorance, or want of foresight on the part of directors and shareholders are not confined to New South Wales. They exist all over the Commonwealth in a more or less pronounced degree. Bendigo has furnished striking instances of pettifogging individualism, as well as judicious amalgamation schemes. The folly of the former attitude was brought home forcibly to the Bendigo mining investors, when they found that 1000ft shafts, a few hundreds of yards from each other, had to go deeper and deeper into costly sinking country, thereby wasting immense sums of money that could have been profitably used in developing two, three, or more ordinary-sized leases from one main shaft.

There is on record at Bendigo the case of a mine 24 yards long, on the famous New Chum line of reef, at Snob's Hill. It was bounded north and south by strong companies, but the owners of the miniature lease declined amalgamation with either of their neighbours. Down went the shaft on the 24 yards lease to work the lode 36ft each side of the shaft. It was suicidal. In a recent issue of the "Herald" attention was drawn to the fact that, owing to a mistake made by a New South Wales gold-mining company in pegging out its lease the lode will underlie out of its ground at a depth of about 600ft, passing thence into the lease of the adjoining company, which has paid over £35,000 in dividends. All efforts to bring about an amalgamation of the two leases have failed, hence we have the spectacle of one company, with a mine out of which the bottom will fall at 650ft, being unwilling to amalgamate with its neighbour, the distance between the two main shafts not being more than 150 yards.

BLENDING OF ORES.

There is another aspect of the amalgamation question—one in which a copper mine may be deficient in the class of ore necessary to produce a liquid and clean slag. To get over this difficulty the manager is forced in most instances to buy a flux, which may be barren. It not only costs money, but loads up the furnace with a valueless material, so far as regards its metal contents, thus adding to the cost of producing copper, by reducing the output of the furnace, and also it increases the smelting losses, for each ton of flux creates slag, which carries with it a certain amount of metal.

The Mount Morgan Gold Mining Company is a striking instance of the great expense involved in having to load up its copper ore reduction furnaces with a barren ironstone flux. The company's copper ore is distinctly silicious in character, and requires the addition of large quantities of basic material to help to make a suitable smelting mixture. For years the company has been at the enormous expense of providing its own steamers to carry ironstone from Iron Island to the mainland, and despatching the flux by rail to the smelters, at a cost of £1 per ton. In addition limestone, costing 7s per ton landed at the smelters, has to be used to complete the suitable smelting mixture. This costly process will be abandoned, and the profits of the company greatly increased, immediately the Boyne Valley railway is built, thus enabling the company to replace the barren ironstone flux and limestone by the extremely basic cupriferous ores of the Many Peaks mine. This ore will be landed at the Mount Morgan smelters for several shillings per ton cheaper than the Iron Island ironstone, and as the Many Peaks ore carries from 2 to 3 per cent. of copper per ton it will mean a big saving to the Mount Morgan Company, will increase the metallic output of the furnaces, whilst the pyritic character of the Many Peaks ore will materially reduce the coke bill.

In a word, this judicious blending of ores will permit of large quantities of low-grade silicious ores in the Mount Morgan mine being treated at a profit, which would not be the case if barren ironstone flux at £1 and limestone at 7s per ton had to be used. It may be said, without exaggeration, that the Mount Morgan Company's scheme for blending its copper-gold ores with those from another mine will mean an increase of something like £100,000 a year to its profits, besides extending the life of the parent mine.

A COBAR COMBINATION DESIRABLE.

How necessary, therefore, is it that some consideration should be given to a scheme of amalgamation, by which several copper, copper-lead, and copper-gold mines in the Cobar district, would form a combination that would permit of their ores being so blended that their metallic contents could be extracted in a cheap and effective manner.

Individually, the mines, which the writer has in view, would not be justified in erecting separate plants for the treatment of their ores, for the simple reason that they are not self-fluxing. They would have to purchase outside ores for that purpose. An amalgamation of a group of mines so situated would obviate this cost, besides limiting the expenditure on one smelting plant, instead of several. Moreover, it has to be borne in mind, that the tendency of the gold mines in the Cobar district is to change into copper mines at a depth, which means that the gold extraction machinery now employed will have to be discarded for other methods of treatment—i.e., smelting.

CHANGING ORES MEAN ALTERED TREATMENT.

This change in the character of the lode of the Cobar Gold Mines Company from an ore-body that carried no copper in the oxidised zone, to an ore that carries both gold and copper in the sulphide, puts an end to the company's efforts to try and extract the gold from the ore by battery amalgamation, hence the mine, as a producer of either its gold or copper contents, has lain idle for years. There is no doubt as to the value of the company's ore for blending purposes, and proof of the contention that the only way to extract the gold and the coper is by smelting the ore is shown by the fact that last year the Great Cobar, Limited, bought a large quantity of ore from the Cobar Gold Mines Company, and thereby "sweetened" its output of copper and gold.

A SUGGESTED AMALGAMATION.

It is impossible for the Cobar Gold Mines Company to maintain a separate existence. It is equally impossible for the C.S.A. mine, with its basic ore body, to live alone. The same may be said to be the case to a large extent in regard to the important copper lode of the Cobar Tinto mine, adjoining the C.S.A., and seeing that the gold mines along the Great Cobar line of lode, or its offshoot, on which the Cobar Gold Mines and other companies are situated, give evidence that they will turn into copper mines, it does seem in the opinion of a number of prominent mining men who know the Cobar district well, that a judicious amalgamation could be effected between the following companies:—

Cobar Gold Mines.
C.S.A. Mines.
Cobar Tinto Copper Mine.
Occidental Gold Mine.

AN OFFICIAL VIEW.

The evidence of the past shows that the gold mines running from the Great Cobar, Limited, to the Queen Bee copper mine are destined to turn into copper mines at a certain depth. To 150ft or 200ft free milling and cheap cyanide extraction of the gold is possible. Below that level, the lode material is stained with oxidised copper ores, after which comes a stage of partial oxidation, followed by the copper sulphide zone.

CHANGING CONDITIONS OF LODES.

Commenting on these changing conditions of mineral association, and the necessity that will be forced upon these gold mines to alter their methods, Mr. J. E. Carne, F.G.S., Assistant Government Geologist, makes some very pertinent remarks in his monograph on "The Copper Mining Industry." He observes:—

The possibility of smelting the cupriferous ores from the Fort Bourke (Cobar Gold Mine) and Chesney—Occidental line of reef—is, so far as indications go, discounted by the absence of sufficiently concentrated iron sulphides, and the nature of the matrix. Judging by the Cobar-Chesney sulphides and the concentration products therefrom, the clean sulphides are comparatively rich in copper and low in iron. The matrix of these ores, consisting of slate, quartzite, and quartz, requires a large proportion of iron for fluxing. Failing command of a cheap and abundant supply, the mines along these lodes cannot hope to establish independent smelting plants on a profitable basis.

This puts the case in a nutshell, not only as regards the gold-copper mines on what Mr. Carne describes as the "Cobar-Occidental line of reef," but it applies with considerable force also to the C.S.A. group of mines (including the adjoining Cobar Tinto Mine) a few miles out of the township of Cobar.

Writing as he did in 1906, that is, before the C.S.A. had opened up its large body of basic ore, and also before the Cobar Tinto had developed its copper lode, said to be 40ft wide, Mr. Carne may be excused for then taking the view that the key to the situation—that is, the effective handling of the ores of the copper-gold mines of Cobar—lay in the use of the immense solid pyritic resources of the Great Cobar, Limited. In his view, the kindly fluxing base of that mine must, if it continued persistently basic, have, in the near future, a controlling influence, "unless," he observed, "a radical change is discovered in yet untested levels in the other mines."

Certainly these radical changes have not taken place in the other mines referred to by Mr. Carne, but the situation has been radically altered by reason of the developments since made in the C.S.A. and Cobar Tinto mines. Great Cobar, Limited, no longer stands alone, as the possessor of a "kindly fluxing base," hence Great Cobar, Limited, no longer possesses "the key to the situation." There is ample room in Cobar for a combination of mines, as above suggested, that would be as important as, if not more so than, the combination of the Great Cobar, Chesney Cobar, and Great Peak mines.

A PREDICTION VERIFIED.

"Large as is the scale on which operations are now conducted," observes Mr. Carne, referring to the Great Cobar, Limited, "they are capable of still further development. However, unpopular the idea of huge trusts and combines may be, there is no question that only under such conditions of consolidation will some of the extensive low-grade cupriferous gold and silver deposits of the vicinity be turned to best account. For though at present (written in 1906) the Chesney-Cobar Mine is the only other of the Cobar group that has developed copper ores of commercial importance, there is every reason to anticipate, at all events, an amount of copper ores in the lower levels of the others, sufficient to render unprofitable any method of extraction, other than smelting in the way indicated."

This prediction has been fully borne out by the experience of the Cobar Gold Mines Company. Changing from a purely gold mine into a combined copper and gold proposition, the battery-amalgamation method of treatment had to be abandoned, and was followed by other methods (but not smelting) which also ended in failure. Hence Mr. Carne came to the following conclusion:—

Consideration of the present condition and future prospects of the copper-mining industry of this State establishes a clear-cut conviction of the advantages of a closer union or concentration of interests. Instead of vainly contending with refractory ores, combination with those requiring just such economic admixtures in the reducing and refining processes would prevent one section struggling with costly experiments, the other using, perforce, valueless fluxes. Cobar-Chesney and Girilambone illustrate one division, Great Cobar, Nymagee, and the refining at Lithgow the other. If community of interests and reduced railway freights could bring these divisions into touch, reciprocal advantages would accrue to both State and industry.

This was written by Mr. Carne in 1906, and the argument in favour of a "closer union or concentration of interests" is as strong today as ever it was; but the subsequent development of the basic formation of the C.S.A. mines, and the copper lode of the Cobar Trusts next door, has created another combination of mines with a community of interests just as great as those of the Great Cobar, Ltd., Chesney-Cobar, and Great Peak mines.

UNSMELTABLE PROPOSITIONS.

To work a low-grade proposition profitably it is necessary that the matrix be of a kindly nature and plentiful, so as to permit of cheap mining costs. The matrix of the copper ores in some of the mines on the supposed extension of the Great Cobar lode is not of a kindly nature, as it consists largely of slate, quartzite, and quartz. Such a silicious (quartz) matrix, owing to its great infusibility, requires a large percentage of fluxing material—say 2lb of basic fluxes to 1lb of silica. Without such fluxing the silicious matrix would be a most intractable proposition. With a highly pyritic ore, such as the Great Cobar, Ltd., is working, from 30 to 40 per cent. of silica can be included in a blast furnace charge, and yet produce a fluid silicate of iron slag.

It will thus be seen that even if the copper contents of the mines outside the Great Cobar, Ltd., were to increase very largely, the ores would be unsmeltable by themselves. To make them smeltable would necessitate heavy expense in concentration, also the purchase of suitable fluxes. We thus come back to the proposition, "Would it not be to the advantage of the Cobar copper-mining industry if there was an amalgamation of the Cobar Gold Mines, C.S.A. Mines, Cobar Trulo Copper Mine, and the Occidental Gold Mine?"

Mr. G. H. Blakemore, at one time general manager of the Great Cobar, Ltd., put the matter shortly when he remarked:—

The Cobar district carries large, low-grade silicious ore bodies, which can only be treated by individual companies adopting complex and costly processes, especially for the separation of the gold from the copper contents, whereas the adoption of the smelting process—only possible when a judicious amalgamation of mines permits of the ores being blended into a suitable smelting mixture—would mean the cheapest and most effective method known to the science of metallurgy for recovering metal values. Instead of individual companies undertaking individual efforts, which means costly and injudicious duplications of plants, a combination of several mines would mean one plant, one process, one management and staff, and the highest degree of efficiency at the least possible cost.

VALUE OF ORE BLENDING.

As showing the value attached by the Great Cobar, Limited, to the use of ore from other mines to blend with its own ore, it may be stated that the Cobar leviathan last year purchased some £5000 worth of ore from the Cobar Gold Mines Company. If the ore was of such value to the Great Cobar, Limited, in providing a very suitable flux, and also enriching the gold contents of its copper, the same ore would be equally valuable for blending with basic ores of the C.S.A. Mines, the copper sulphides of the Cobar Tinto, also the gold and copper-gold ores of the Occidental Gold Mine.

In other words, if the ore of the Cobar Gold Mines is regarded as a necessary complement to that of the Great Cobar, Limited, it is equally true that Cobar Gold Mines ore is a necessary complement to the ore of the C.S.A. and Occidental mines, whilst the ore blend would be strengthened by the inclusion of the Cobar Tinto ore. It is as clear as noonday to many mining men that the day of individual effort at Cobar is past, and that it would be in the best interests of the mining industry if a scheme were set afoot to bring about an amalgamation as suggested.

DEBRETT'S PEERAGE.

Mr. Birrell, during the recent political campaign, remarked caustically, "You can all read in Debrett who the Peers are," but this, thought cruel to the Peers, is still more unfair to Debrett, which includes not merely Peers, but also Baronets and Bishops, and no end of other absolutely indispensable social information. This year the size of the volume has been increased to royal octavo, and a larger type has been used throughout the 2450 pages. Those who think that Lords are exclusive can never have considered the size of Debrett. Either it must stop growing, or be confined strictly to Dukes. Debrett is still very much concerned about the baronetage, wherein so many bogus claims are put forward. During the last 40 years some 124 peerages and 166 baronetcies have expired, but there have been 232 new creations of Peers and 431 creations of Baronets. The creations have doubled the extinctions, so in this sense, at any rate, the peerage does not show a declining birthrate. The volume looks all the better in its new size, and the amount of information it keeps up to date would appal any but the stoutest-hearted of editors. (Dean and Son.)

ENCUMBRANCES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—With reference to the employment on stations of men with wives and families, I notice that in your sub-leader on Thursday you refer to the existence of the word "encumbrance" as a proof that the general practice of station owners is to give preference to unmarried men. Will you allow me to point out that the term "encumbrance" is only used in regard to "married couples" where, as explained in my former letter, both husband and wife are employed and paid, and that as the "married couples" on a station bear a very small proportion to the total number of station hands the great majority of the employees are not placed under any restriction of the kind. Your assumption that employers are disinclined to have men with wives and families on account of the extra cost of their rations is hardly in accordance with facts, as many pastoralists are quite willing to bear this expense, though they get no direct service for it, because married men are, as a rule, more reliable, and take greater interest in their work than single men.

It should not be forgotten that, since a large proportion of the men in the community are unmarried, it is neither possible nor desirable that only married men should find employment. All that can be expected of any industry is that it should employ its fair share of married men, and that the pastoral industry is doing this is, I think, conclusively shown by the figures given in my previous letter, I am, etc.,

JOHN MAIR,
Secretary the Pastoralists' Union of N.S.W.
March 4.

THE CHURCHES.

The Archbishop of Sydney (Dr. Wright) will return to Sydney from Goulburn on Monday next. On Tuesday Dr. Wright will be present at the opening of the Mitchell Library, and on 9th instant he will preach at the opening of the Newcastle Cathedral.

In connection with the dispute at St. James', negotiations are in progress for a meeting of the patochial and diocesan nominators. No date has yet been fixed.

Archbishop Wright proposes to appoint rural deans for a limited period only, but always with the possibility of reappointment. Rural deans (says "Sydney Diocesan Magazine") occupy a most important position in diocesan life. They are representatives in the diocese of the Archbishop. They represent the centralising principle in its economy of small detail. They undertake such work as the archdeacons are unable to fulfil, often assisting the archdeacon at his request, or at the request of the Archbishop, to consider the various problems that are constantly arising in the widely scattered field of church life.

The Archbishop has appointed the following rural deans, to hold office for three years, the present term to end Advent, 1910:—East Sydney, Rev. E. C. Beck (the rural deanery of Randwick has been now separated from East Sydney); Randwick, Rev. H. Wallace Mort; West Sydney, Canon Bellingham; North Sydney, Rev. J. H. Maclean; South Sydney, Rev. J. Howell Price; Petersham, Rev. R. E. Goddard; Parramatta, Ven. Archdeacon Gunther; Liverpool and Camden, Rev. G. H. Allnutt; Berrima, Rev. A. C. Corlette; Wollongong, Rev. T. V. Alkin; Penrith, Canon Archdall; Richmond, Rev. L. N. J. Jenkyn; Blue Mountain district, Rev. T. J. Heffernan.

In his monthly letter, the Archbishop of Sydney (Dr. Wright) states:—"I have been requested by the Church property trustees to take up my residence temporarily in the deanery. This will enable them to have time to sell Bishopscourt deliberately. I should like to refer once more to the uncomfortable topic of this largely forgotten Bishopscourt mortgage, in order to base upon it a homily against the undesirable plan of raising large sums of money for the erection of churches and church buildings upon mortgage. This method of finance, which has its rightful place in commercial life, is rarely profitable in undertakings connected with the Church, except as regards small sums, which can be rapidly repaid. Too often it is a short cut to attain an end without sacrifice and exertion."

The Methodist Conference has been hard at work since last Wednesday, and has now about broken the back of its business. The question of an affiliated college absorbed nearly two days in the settling, and finally the conference was able to face its big centenary meeting with a united scheme in the appeal for funds. In addition to the day meetings there have been night demonstrations in connection with the various branches of Methodist work. A question of importance that has yet to be debated is bound up in the suggestion of Mr. Robson, M.L.C., to hold an annual Methodist Thanksgiving Day, with the object of raising a permanent income for church enterprises. It will probably take nearly the whole of next week to complete the business of the conference.

A business-like feature of the Methodist appeal for centenary celebration funds lay in a kind of time-payment process inviting donors to give so much per year for five years. This alternative to giving lump sums was largely availed of, quite a number engaging to give from £20 to £100, spread over the five years. There was one rather pathetic incident in connection with the appeal. A young farmer in the conference told the brethren in a voice broken with emotion that he could not make a cash contribution to the fund. But he promised, amid great applause to give one acre of the best of his wheat yearly for five years. The entry was duly made on the subscription list, and the president of the conference commended the giver for his generosity.

As an indication of the progress made by the Methodist Church during the past year it may be mentioned that on the third reading of stations 11 probationers will be required to fill new appointments, and satisfy the claims for additional ministers to complete the list. A further evidence of aggression is found in the fact that six new Home Mission agents have been cabled for from Cliff College, in England, which is under the charge of the Rev. Thomas Cook.

The Bishop of North Queensland is making an urgent appeal for clothing for the aborigines at Yarrabah. The king of Yarrabah has just been inquiring after a new uniform. The Bishop writes:—"Is there no member of the defence force who can send a disused uniform and helmet to the king of Yarrabah? His majesty has for many years affected military garb, and, at present, is bemoaning the decay of a red coat of the Moreton Bay Regiment.

The news that the Archbishop has constituted the conventional district of Haberfield, at present part of the parish of St. John's, Ashfield, and appointed the Rev. Walter Newmarch, from the Cathedral district, to take office from March 31, has been received with much satisfaction locally.

The Archbishop of Sydney (Dr. Wright) is most anxious to see some effort made in Sydney to take up the work at this end of the Church Emigration Society.

Cardinal Moran, who is away on the North Coast in connection with the consecration of the Rev. Father Carroll as Bishop of Lismore, purposes returning to Sydney on Wednesday next.

The general secretary of the Australian Board of Missions sees in the reorganisation of the board the beginning of a great missionary period in the life of the church in Australia. It means a fresh start on the part of the church in Australia, through its Archbishops and Bishops, to set before all its members this supreme missionary duty.

St. James', Croydon, is one of the parishes in the Sydney diocese which are free from debt, and, therefore, free from liability to pay interest on borrowed money.

Messrs. Chapman and Alexander's missions in Britain have had to be cancelled, owing to arrangements made on their behalf by the American committee during their absence in Japan. Missions are fixed at Portland, Maine, and Denver. Their return to Boston was a triumphal entry. They were taken from the station to Tremont Temple, where an audience that filled every foot of standing room waited. Their long journey of 36,000 miles, during which they had spoken hundreds of times, and lived the most strenuous of lives, had not wearied them in well-doing, though it had caused some signs of physical weariness. One of the greatest banquets ever given in Boston was tendered Dr. Chapman and his party in the great Mechanics' Building. Fully two thousand persons were present.

Very Rev. Father A. Marion left Sydney last Monday on a visit to the New Caledonian Mission. He will be absent for about four months. Before his return, Father Marion will visit the New Hebrides Archipelago.

Among the Welsh Nonconformists it is stated that the Baptists show a net decrease during the year in their total membership of 166. The Calvinistic Methodists have 568 fewer communicants. Church membership among the Congregationalists shows a falling-off of 2250. The Wesleyan Methodists in Wales have in the Welsh districts suffered a slight loss of 68 members, but the English districts show an improvement to the extent of 2725.

It has long been understood that due provision has been made for the succession to the command of the Salvation Army when, in the natural course of events, General Booth no longer fills that position. Some further information on the subject is now forthcoming. The "Salvation Army Year Book" for 1910 says: "The succession to the position of the General is not in any shape or form hereditary, nor is it intended even to be so. Every successive General will be under the most solemn obligation to select that officer to succeed him whom he considers best adapted to fill so important a position. By a further provision a high council of the Army is constituted, providing means for removing from his position as General of the Salvation Army any General committing a breach of trust, and also for the selection of a General if, through failure to appoint, or from any other cause, there should at any time in fact be no General."

The following appointments have been made by the Home Mission Society of the Baptist Church:—Pastor J. Whelan, to Ardlethan. Pastor R. Pickup, to Liverpool; Pastor J. Yates, to Woonona; Pastor C. Bryant, to West Wallsend; and Pastor L. Jaggers, to Kangaira.

A new Baptist Church has been erected at Philip, in the Tamworth district. Plans are being prepared for the erection of a new Baptist Church at Concord, and a manse at Tamworth. Tenders have been accepted for the erection of a Baptist Church at Kangaira.

Twelve students from New South Wales will enter the Baptist College, Melbourne, at the new term, beginning on March 15. There are 13 other students preparing for entrance.

Mrs. Sara S. Nolan (Australasian president of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union) will leave Sydney on Wednesday by the Moldavia, en route for the World's W.C.T.U. Convention, which will be held in Glasgow early in June. Mrs. Nolan will be accompanied by her neice, Mrs. Harvey Dixon, of Ashfield, who goes to the convention in Glasgow as a delegate from Australia.

The jubilee of the opening of St. George's Presbyterian Church, Castlereagh-street, is to be commemorated to-morrow week. At the original opening the Rev. Dr. M. Mackay was the minister, who was assisted on the occasion by the Rev. Dr. Cairns and the Rev. A. J. Campbell (afterwards Dr. Campbell). At that time the debt was £12,500, which was extinguished in 1879. St. George's Church is in connecton with the Presbyterian Church of Eastern Australia.

On Wednesday last a concert was given in the Central Hall of the Sydney City Mission. The programme was a varied one, while the orchestra belonging to the hall opened both parts. The first with the overture to "Poet and Peasant," the second with the well-known "Turkish Patrol." Under the conductorship of Mr. H. Trevena, both were admirably rendered.

It is understood that for some time past the New Zealand Methodists have evinced a desire to be separated from the Australian body. It means their separation from the general conference of Australasia, with a self-administered supernumerary fund, though for the present they wish to be in association with the Australasian Board of Missions. In the matter of Methodist union, the Primitive Methodist Church has hitherto stood out, but it is expected that under the proposed arrangement they will come into the proposed new conference.

To meet a need not yet supplied in Sydney, the Young Women's Christian Association this year is developing a new and important department of work. Educational classes of all kinds for business girls and others eager for self-culture, are being formed. The moderate rates should enable many who could not otherwise be able to do so to avail themselves of this opportunity.

WOULD TAX MOTOR CARS.

ROCKDALE'S MAYOR SPEAKS PLAINLY.

The question of main roads in their relation to motor cars is a burning question with the councils of the Illawarra suburbs, as their roads lead to the tourist districts of Cronulla, Port Hacking, and the South Coast generally. The Mayor of Kogarah (Alderman Halstead) has already expressed decided opinions on the matter, and at last meeting of the Rockdale council the Mayor (Alderman Broe) thus addressed himself to the question in a mayoral minute. He said:—

"The upkeep of Rocky Point-road has proved a heavy drain on the resources of the council. There is little doubt that the increasing motor-car traffic has been responsible for the large expenditure which became necessary. We have paid £1500 during the year for metalling portions of the road, and almost at the end of the year we had to incur a further expenditure of £300 for metal for portions which needed urgent repairs. This liability we carry into the present year. It will be necessary to expend a further £600 almost immediately on part of the road between Banksia and the town hall. Fortunately we have this amount available out of the profit made on the sanitary service.

"According to expert opinion the only roads capable of withstanding motor traffic are tarred metal roads, but to convert the portion of Rocky Point-road within our municipality to this class of road would mean an expenditure of at least £200 a mile, or an outlay of something like £15,000. The irresponsible motorists who write to the daily papers advocating the conversion of main roads to tarred metal roads know nothing of the cost of carrying out what they propose. It is interesting to note in this connection that although motorists are only too ready to complain of the bad state of our roads—largely brought about by motor-car traffic—they never advocate any special tax on their vehicles to provide revenue to put the roads in better repair. This liability is apparently, in their opinion, one which should be borne entirely by our already overburdened ratepayers. It is altogether unjust and unreasonable that we should be called upon to meet an expenditure, as we did last year (after allowing for Government grants), of £30 a week on one of our main roads, in consequence of non-local traffic.

"The only remedy I can suggest is a tax on motor cars for the benefit of municipalities, or a special Government subsidy to meet the damage done to our roads by these cars. During the time the Government maintained the Rocky Point-road—in pre-motor times—the average annual expenditure was £550; now it is £1500, with every possibility of rising to a much higher figure in the near future."

The council endorsed the Mayor's remarks.

ISLAND ATROCITIES.

CAPTURE OF MURDERERS.

Captain R. F. Erikson, of the Solomon Island, who arrived at Sydney on Thursday, states that just before he sailed the authorities succeeded in securing the native who is believed to have been the actual murderer of Mr. Oliver Burns, a well-known and popular settler at Marovo Lagoon. The story of the brutal murder of Oliver Burns has been told many times, and although the authorities have for upwards of a year been searching for the offender, it was only a few weeks ago that he was handed over to justice.

The native in custody was at one time employed on H.M.S. Pegasus while cruising in the Solomons, and was known as "Launchy." Captain Erikson says that while in the opinion of settlers and trades generally "Launchy" was the actual murderer, it is held that the massacre was instigated by head-hunting chiefs. These chiefs are still at large, but their capture is shortly expected. When this is effected the head-hunting customs will doubtless be abandoned.

The reported capture of Zeto, the head-hunting chief of Valla Lavella, who with his gang killed five people at the plantation of Mr. J. Binskin some months ago, is confirmed by Captain Erikson, who says that besides Zeto there are 12 others in gaol awaiting trial, while 17 were killed by a punitive expedition. Zeto was found by a party of friendly natives at the island of Gras, in New Georgia, and was handed over to Captain Norman Wheatley, who conveyed the prisoner to Gizo. Zeto is now at Tulagi awaiting trial.

METHODISTS AND ANGLICANS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Two days ago you reported how the Methodists of New South Wales, in celebrating their centenary, determined to appeal for the large sum of fifty thousand pounds for special purposes, and how nobly and quickly their appeal was responded to—not less than £5300 having been subscribed outright in a single day. All honour to them. An example like that should put heart and hope into all who are working for the Christian religion. I only wish that some of our Anglicans, whether wealthy or not, would take that example home to themselves. Several months ago the Anglican Church throughout Australia determined to raise a bare £7000 in order to wipe out the reproach of debt which had accumulated on her very modest missionary efforts in New Guinea and among the aborigines. This sum of £7000, which required raising, was apportioned out among our various dioceses, with the result that it fell to the lot of Sydney and Melbourne dioceses to raise £2000 and £1500 respectively. Have Sydney and Melbourne completed these tasks during the months that have elapsed? No; on the contrary, they have not come anywhere near doing so. Discouraging reports reach us from Melbourne, and in the case of Sydney not more than £1000 at the outside is yet in sight. I write this letter in the hope that it may catch the eye of some of our Anglican churchmen, who may not have been reached by any appeal made in their parish churches, and induce them to contribute now to their diocesan emergency fund. Not, of course, in mere emulation of our Methodist brethren, which God forbid; but because their conscience tells them that, having received freely from the hands of God, it is the right thing for them to give also freely for the advancement of His kingdom. I am, etc.,

C. E. C. LEFROY,
General Secretary of the Australian Board of Missions.
March 4.

KHARTOUM CATHEDRAL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—As chairman of the recent gathering of the members of the New South Wales Soudan Contingent, celebrating the silver jubilee of the departure of the contingent for the Soudan, I made a suggestion, which was enthusiastically approved of, and I would ask if you would kindly give publicity to the same and aid in furthering the object desired.

In 1904 Princess Henry of Battenberg laid the foundation-stone of the Khartoum Cathedral, a building that is being erected to the memory of the late General Gordon, the foundation-stone being laid close to the spot where that heroic soldier died.

The building is still unfinished, and £12,000 is required to complete the same. General Sir Reginald Wingate, the Governor-General of the Soudan, has recently written to the London press on behalf of a shilling appeal to raise the necessary funds required. In July last a meeting was held at the Mansion House, London, to bring the need for funds before the British public, and the result of this meeting was the opening of a subscription list, to which his Majesty the King contributed 200 guineas, and the Prince of Wales 100 guineas.

My suggestion is that a subscription should be sent from New South Wales, representing a contribution to the fund on behalf of the New South Wales Soudan Contingent, thus paying a further tribute to the memory of one of England's greatest soldiers, whose untimely death prompted the action of sending the contingent to the Soudan.

I have already received several subscriptions towards the object mentioned, and will be glad to receive and give due acknowledgment of any further donations, which are not limited to members of the contingent only.

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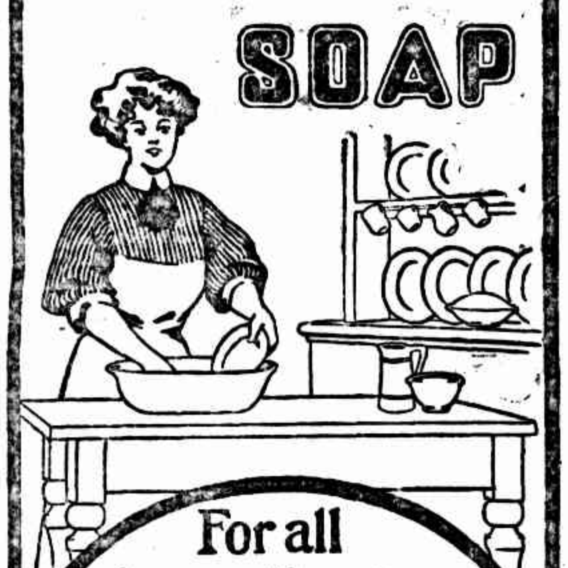
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FARM AND STATION.

MORE BUSH SONGSTERS.

One of the most delightful of the true singing birds of Australia is an absolute stranger to a very large section of the community. In the great interior of the country the white-throated thickhead is practically unknown. The bird seems to confine its range to the coastal and adjacent districts of northern and southern Queensland, Tasmania, Victoria, and New South Wales. The family is numerously represented in the heavily-timbered country, practically along the whole coastline of New South Wales, and in the secluded valleys, where there is abundance of varied underbrush to afford pleasant sanctuary to the wild creature one has enchanting intimation of the presence of the bird long before a glimpse may be obtained of its strikingly marked form. The thickhead is a restless little creature, and it is not easy to get a clear view of the birds as they move about almost continuously, lying high and low among the timber, and all the while singing and sustaining a chorus-like flood of melody which is sure to entrance the music-loving ear listening to it for the first time. The note is clear, sparkling, and mellifluous; in a favoured valley there may be a hundred or more of the songsters giving forth their peans of joy in life simultaneously, and as one only catches here and there a flash of wings in the sunlight, or the movement of a picturesque little form in the branches of the trees, the effect is often enough akin to that of a perfectly-trained invisible chorus. In the early morning and the forenoon, when the light and shade of the landscape are still sparkling and fresh with the beauty of the young day, and the air is laden with the penetrating and exhilarating fragrance of the primeval wood, the thickhead is heard to great advantage. With senses ravished by the song, one feels compelled to stop from time to time lest he should lose a note of the exquisite music which rings with flute-like, limpid clearness through the valleys, and is re-echoed from mountain, range, and hill.

Of the genus Pachycephalia there are more than a dozen species of the thickhead (an ill-name for so pretty and accomplished a singer) in Australia. The marking of several of them is much the same, and there would seem to be no material difference between the grey-tailed, whose habitat is Tasmania, and the one under notice. The male, of course, is the plumaged beauty of the pair. The male of the white-throated bird has an under surface of rich yellow; pectoral collar, jet black; throat white, head black, tail black, with olive tints near base. The female is generally of an olive-brown tint. The tribe are insect-eaters, and move about, when not singing, among the branches and foliage of trees and undergrowth so noiselessly that they might be quite near without their presence being suspected, their action in this respect strongly resembling that of the handsome white-bellied shrike-tit, which because of its crest is often mistaken by casual observers for the bell-bird. The thickheads build their nests in the forks of saplings and scrub, and usually only a foot or so from the ground. The colouring of the male is gayest and most pronounced during the mating period, and the young have several changes in their plumage before attaining the adult colour. The birds breed from September to November, according to climate. According to some observers, the female alone does the building, but the male takes his share of the feeding and rearing of the family. Besides being in the front rank in point of beauty and attractiveness, the thickhead is also one of the useful birds of Australia, as it lives entirely on insects, caterpillars, etc.

There are two or three singing larks in Australia, and the habits of the birds are not unlike those of their poet-immortalised namesakes of the old country. One of the most widely distributed is the Rufous song lark (Cinclorhamphus rufescens), which comes south in the spring. In form the bird is like the Pipit (or, as it is sometimes called, the Ground-lark), and also in colouration. The male is the singer. While the female is nesting her mate may be heard "tuning up" as he sits on the limb of a tree preparatory to rising in the air, after the manner of the English skylark. Sometimes he will sit in this way for perhaps five or ten minutes, the while giving voice to a single short note; presently he takes wing and at once begins to sing. From the moment that he is afloat in the air until he descends the song is continuous, rising and falling in rippling cadence, and suggestive of a deliberately trained faculty. Occasionally the bird will only fly from one tree to another some distance away, singing as it goes; but when the female is sitting he usually soars to a considerable height, and then, turning sharply, will drop right down and land in the vicinity of the nest. The voice of this lark is not as attractive as that of several other singing birds referred to in these articles, but it is singularly flexible and more sustained than the note of any of the bird's bush rivals. There would appear to be some sort of subtle affinity between the movement of the wings and the bird's vocal powers, as the action of the one seems to be necessary to that of the other.

The brown song lark differs from the first-mentioned inasmuch as it is heavier and has a rather dark plumage. A bird of the same genus that is not so well known is the bush-lark (Mirafra Horsfieldii-Gould), which is distributed throughout Australia, but is not found in Tasmania. The bird sings at night, but chiefly in the light of early dawn and during the transition of the evening into the shades of darkness. The bush-lark produces delightful music, and the effect is greatly enhanced by the conditions under which it sings. Generally the bird has the field to itself, as it sings in the still hours when the majority of other feathered creatures are sleeping, or only beginning to greet the coming dawn in soft, tentative, and half-afraid undertone. On moonlight nights the lark is known to take wing, and in these circumstances nothing could be more captivating than its melody. In appearance the bush-lark is much like the pipit, the well-known ground "lark," which is always seen in the grass, and which will keep running in front of the intruder, and only rise to fly when closely pressed. The birds nest on the ground, but the place is so well protected by adaption to environment that it is not likely to be located, excepting by accident or watching the birds descend to it from the air at the conclusion of a song.

Seeing that it neither whistles, warbles, nor sings, it is a question whether the tree-creeper (which is commonly, but erroneously called a woodpecker, probably because of its habits of picking at the trunks and limbs of trees as it gyrates about them in search of grubs), should find a place among the bush songsters. At the same time there is no gainsaying the fact that this fearless and almost domesticated bird, which is unaffected by settlement, or the presence of man, so long as there is a tree left to give cover to a grub or a beetle, is a bright feature of bush life, and a powerful contributor to the varying sounds which, in combination, produce the melody of rural surroundings. The tree-creeper has a strong, shrill, piping note, which may be heard above every other sound of the bush in the early hours of the morning or at dusk. At the latter hour especially the note will be heard ringing through space, and carrying over great distances, when all the other birds have gone to roost, the tree-creeper being one of the last to settle down for the night. Though shrill, the call, which is usually uttered sharply five or six times in quick succession, is extremely pleasant, and like the habits of the bird, suggests a bold and undaunted spirit, which is equally at home and unafraid in the depths of the primeval forest and in settled districts. There are no fewer than eight species of the tree-creeper in Australia, but the most common are the white-throated and the brown. An allied family are the beautiful tree-runners. Both work the boles of trees, tapping and testing as they go for grubs and insects peculiar to this kind of domicile, but they move in opposite directions. The tree-creeper commences at the bottom and goes up, always in spiral movement, so that no part of the trunk is left unexploited; while the runner, on the contrary, works downward. Of the latter the black-capped runner is the most widely distributed, and is to be found in New South Wales, Victoria, South Australia, and Western Australia. The nesting habits of the runners and the creepers are different. The latter nest in hollow limbs or trunks, while the runner builds in forks of trees or saplings, and mimic their surroundings so cleverly that when the female is sitting on the eggs only the expert eye of the bushman deliberately engaged in a search would detect the imposture. The nest is so moulded to the fork, and the colouring and rough surface of the bark so exactly imitated, that the eye will sweep over the spot without one realising that the structure is not a part of the tree. It may be added that the woodpecker of Europe is unknown in this country, the birds under notice coming closest to a resemblance of relationship with them.

BATHURST FARM.

BATHURST.—At the beginning of last year an area comprising 180¾ acres was set apart at this farm as a demonstration area. The main object for such is to carry the experiments of past years to their logical conclusion and prove that the practice recommended for others to follow can be carried out profitably upon commercial lines at this farm. The system which has been decided upon is one of mixed farming, the principal lines being sheep and wheat. Unfortunately the area is not large enough for the purpose, but was all that could be spared from the experimental and educational sections of the farm. A compact block of land was chosen, comprising some of the best and some of the poorest land on the farm, and is typical of the majority of the farms throughout the district. Forty-seven and a quarter acres were put under fodder crops for winter fodder for sheep. Barley and rape, and rye and rape being used. These were grazed for a period of four months and 26 days, and carried an equivalent of 6½ sheep per acre during that period. This stock were on excellent fodder all the time, better than was necessary to keep them in reasonable condition. It was estimated that fully 10 forward store sheep per acre could have been fattened during the period. The area under wheat was 67¼ acres, which represented the poorer section of the area this season. The total yield was 1939 bushels, the average yield being 25¾ bushels per acre. The official estimate of the yield throughout the district this year was 14 bushels per acre. The three varieties grown were Federation, which yielded an average of 36¾ bushels per acre. Cleveland in the same paddock but on the poorer portion of soil, 31¾ bushels per acre, and Bobs yielded 25 1-3 bushels per acre. This crop lodged rather badly owing to storms, and was reduced considerably by depredations of sparrows. In paddock No. 12, Cleveland yielded 22¾ bushels, owing to certain causes, which will be explained in detail report, this reduced the average considerably. The estimated yield of straw from the wheat area is 57 tons, with an average of 16¾cwt per acre. Twenty-four and one-fifth acres were cut for hay, the bulk of which was sown directly after maize. The total is estimated at 41¾ tons. The average yield being 1 ton 14cwt per acre. An area of Cape barley sown directly after the maize was harvested, and yielded 33¾ bushels per acre. A detailed report of all operations, showing expenditure, will be prepared for publication in the "Agricultural Gazette."

The whole of the area was worked under the new system of soil culture advocated at this farm, the main principle of which is the keeping of loose open surfaces. Neither roller nor harrow was used upon the area throughout the year. The old English idea that wheat requires a firm seed bed Mr. Peacock holds is not applicable to Australian conditions.

THE WOOL TRADE.

STRONG DEMAND FOR GOOD WOOLS.

Auctions have proceeded on sound lines during the week, and the demand has been strong for well-grown wools in fair order. With the near approach of the close of the weekly series it was to be expected that the proportion of faulty and inferior wools would increase, rendering the selections as a whole less attractive than previously. The effect of this lower character of the offerings was to lessen the sphere of competition, and result in some irregularity for inferior grades. With some bids not so satisfactory, the proportion of withdrawals to offerings was larger than when the selections were on a higher plane. However, average to good wools were in strong demand, and values ruled up to the best rulings since the December recess for such descriptions. It was the faulty and inferior grades that were irregular, and at times weaker. Ten catalogues were submitted, ranging from 1022 to 5329 bales, aggregating 32,754 bales for the week. The sales at auction for the week amounted to 29,878 bales, bringing the offerings and auction sales for the season to date to 650,500 bales and 599,141 bales respectively. These figures are below those for the corresponding period last year, through the current selling year being a fortnight later. The weekly selling season was brought to a close on March 3, 1909; whereas the weekly series will extend this season to March 17, probably leaving very little for the later monthly series of auctions.

SUPPLIES WITHIN REQUIREMENTS.

It seems from figures supplied that about 60,000 bales are now in store for the next two weeks' auctions. Some of the last catalogues promise to be very substantial, for one company expects to offer 9600 bales on the 15th instant, and another company 10,200 bales on the 17th. Thus there will be no falling away, so far as quantity is concerned, right up to the very close of the series. Fortunately, the quantity to be offered in London at the second series, opening on Tuesday next, 8th instant, is within very moderate dimensions. The limit for the net new arrivals for the series was 175,000 bales, and the total quantity available, including 6000 bales carried over, is 141,000 bales, as compared with 196,000 for the March sales, 1909, and 203,000 bales for the corresponding series in 1908. With a continuance of good trade in manufacturing circles, the quantities of wool available at present, both here and in London, seem very much within requirements. Moreover, the larger offerings in Australia this season give promise of light offerings in London till at least the sixth series in November. All things considered, consequently, point to this season's most excellent clip going clean into consumption before next season's wool comes forward in quantity. Meanwhile, business has been transacted that has been profitable to the vast bulk of the trade.

THIS SEASON'S EXPORTS.

The following table, compiled by Dalgety and Co., Ltd., shows the oversea exports of wool from Australia and New Zealand for the past eight months of the current statistical year, as compared with the corresponding period for the year 1908-9:—

State.	July-Feby., 1909-1910.	July-Feby., 1908-1909.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Bales.	Bales.	Bales.	Bales.
New South Wales	688,570	739,123	—	50,553
Victoria	480,627	418,783	61,844	—
South Australia	108,410	132,028	—	256
Queensland	183,141	137,940	45,201	—
Western Australia	58,728	53,371	5,357	—
Tasmania	15,527	16,997	—	1,470
Commonwealth	1,580,311	1,521,???	110,???	52,?51
New Zealand	399,854	256,559	34,295	—
Australasia	1,980,165	1,887,74?	144,907	52,791

Net increase, 92,116 bales.

EXPORTS AND ESTIMATES.

With regard to the foregoing table of exports, it may be said that the greatest surprise in connection with the wool exports for the eight months ended February 28 last is the large increase of 61,844 bales shown, from Victoria; and it will be interesting to see whether the increase will be reduced by comparatively lighter shipments for March-June; as at present the increase for that State is on a much larger scale than was expected. The increase in shipments from New Zealand is also considerable; but possibly some reduction in the Dominion figures may take place in the ensuing four months; although it is well-known that New Zealand occasionally furnishes a surprise in wool production figures. The net result for Australasia to February 28 last, showing a net increase of 92,416 bales, appears to be fairly close to the anticipations formed on this side a few months ago; although it is still early to say exactly what the export production for the 1909-10 year will be. To maintain the position in force on February 28 it is necessary that there should be shipped from Australia and New Zealand between March 1 and June 30 next 400,000 bales. The quantity is a substantial one, and it will be exceedingly interesting to see how the exports will run out to support it.

HOW THE SALES PROGRESSED.

On Monday last two catalogues were submitted, aggregating 9194 bales, of which 8123 were sold at auction. The selection mainly comprised medium to good wools, with a few super lines in the grease, and a nice display of scoureds, chiefly from Queensland. Competition was general and strong from all sections for all good wools at previous rates. Scoureds also had good inquiry. The top price in the grease was 14d, secured for 19 bales h w e of WA over Tilpa over New England (Booroolong), while 31 bales AA com h GHJ over Herbert Park over New England (Armidale), realised 13d, 78 bales AA com e 12½d, a fine, soft super quality combing, Scoureds sold to 22½d, obtained for 37 bales 1st com of EC and Co. over Bimbah (Q.), and 15 bales 1st clo 22d.

On Tuesday three catalogues totalled 8033 bales, of which 7134 were cleared at auction. The selection in the grease was not too attractive; inferior and faulty parcels were considerably in evidence, with a few super wools and a number of well-grown parcels in nice condition. There was a fair display of scoureds. The market continued to rule strong for good wools, but faulty and inferior were irregular. Scoureds moved well up to previous rulings. Greasy sold to 13½d, obtained for 9 bales 1st com w and 2 bales super com w of the O over V over New England, a nice wool, deep-grown, fine and attractive. Another line at that figure was 22 bales AAA e of C over AT, from Bingara, 13 bales AAA h w e 13½d. Scoureds sold to 22½d, at which price 130 bales 1st com h e of Charlton (Brewarrina) were cleared; 52 bales 2nd com and 1st clo making 21½d. Byna (Whitton) and FM over Benarce (Q.), sold to 22d, and Flemington over Bell Bros. (Coonamble), and WJB over Irish Lords to 21½d.

Two catalogues on Wednesday totalled 8427 bales. The clearances at auction were 7878 bales. The selection included a number of better class wools, with unskirted lines predominating. A few super parcels were included. Scoureds were fairly well represented. Fine wools were in keen request, and all good wools sold at well-maintained rates. Also scoureds. Inferior greasies, however, were occasionally irregular. Greasy sold to 13½d, realised for 18 bales AAA of JM over Hothfield, and 23 bales h w e of BDJ over New England, 13 bales 1st com of DMP over New England making 13½d. For scoureds 31 bales w e of AG over Glen Valley (Q.) made 23½d, and three other lines from 22d to 22½d.

On the closing sale day for the week three catalogues aggregated 7980 bales, of which 6718 bales were cleared under the hammer. The selection was fairly attractive, including a good selection of fine quality wools, with a number of southern wools of medium character. Greasy sold to 14½d, obtained for 6 bales A com of EH over W (Wallerawang); 15 bales B com making 13½d, a weft wool, showing very fine quality, and in free condition. Scoured sold to 20½d, realised for 6 bales 1st com JMD over Oakleigh (Carinda). The market ruled strong for all the better qualities, with some irregularity for the lower grades.

CURRENT SYDNEY QUOTATIONS.

Rates current for the principal descriptions of staple may be given as follow:—

GREASY MERINO.

Descrip.	Super.	Good.	Medium.	Inferior.
	d d	d d	d d	d d
Fleece ..	13½ to 15½	11½ to 13	9½ to 11	7 to 9
Broken ..	10½ to 13½	9 to 10	7 to 8½	5 to 6½
Bellies ..	9 to 10½	7½ to 8½	5½ to 7	4½ to 5
Locks ..	5½ to 7	4½ to 5½	3½ to 4	2½ to 3
Lambs ..	14 to 16½	9½ to 10½	7 to 9	4 to 6½

GREASY CROSSBRED.

Fine	13½ to 15	10½ to 12½	8 to 9½	6 to 7½
Coarse ..	none offg.	7½ to 9	6½ to 7½	5½ to 6½

SCOURED MERINO.

Fleece ..	23 to 25½	21 to 22½	18 to 20	15 to 17½
Broken ..	21 to 22½	18½ to 20½	15½ to 17½	12 to 14½
Bellies ..	19 to 21½	16 to 18½	14 to 15½	10½ to 12
Locks ..	16 to 18½	13 to 15½	10 to 11½	7 to 9½

SYDNEY WOOL RECEIPTS.

Wool receipts during the past week have been fair for the time of the year, showing a slight increase both by rail and boat for the week. The position for the season, however, is otherwise, there being a material increase in the arrivals by rail, and a considerable decrease by boat, mainly through less wool coming forward from Queensland. The net seaboard increase is 29,493 bales. The figures are as follows:—

By Rail.

Season.	Feb. 26 to March 4. Bales.	July 1 to March 4 Bales.
1909-10	2,228	690,282
1908-9	1,642	632,787
Increase	586	57,495

By Boat.

1909-10	1,511	111,720
1908-9	1,363	139,722
Increase	148	Decrease 28,002

Net seaboard increase to date, 29,493.

BRADFORD TOPS.

Our cable message from Bradford under yesterday's date reports the top market as quiet but firm, with merinos occasionally a shade higher. At the corresponding period last year the market was cabled as being unchanged, though firm, with but little business doing, pending the opening of the March, 1909, London wool auctions. The course of prices for the current Australian wool season, compared to last, is as follows:—

1910.	Sup. 64's. d.	Com. 60's. d.	60's. d.	Medium. d.	Xbd. Coarse. d.
March 4	27½	26½	25½	17½	15
Feb. 4	27½	26½	25½	17½	15
1909.					
Dec. 17	27½	26½	25½	16½	13½
Oct. 22	29	28	27	16	15½
Oct. 15	27	26	25	16	13½
Oct. 8	29	28	27	16	15½
Sept. 17	[illegible]	27½	26½	15½	[illegible]
Aug. 27	28	27	26	14½	13½
Aug. 20	27½	26½	25½	14½	12½
Aug. 13	27½	26½	25½	14½	12½
July 24	27	26	25	14	12½
July 2	27½	26½	25½	14½	12½
March 5	24½	23½	22½	13½	12
Jany. 29	24½	23½	22½	13½	12
1908.					
Dec. 4	24½	23½	22½	13½	12½
Nov. 13	23½	22½	21½	12½	10½
Nov. 6	23	22½	21½	11½	10
Aug. 28	23½	22½	21½	11½	10½
Aug. 14	24	23	22	12	12½
July 24	24½	23½	22½	12½	11

With regard to the position at Bradford on January 27 last, the "Observer" remarked that the market continued firm, but was certainly quieter in tone. Since the London January sales opened users have been shy about paying the advanced prices which topmakers have been asking, particularly in regard to crossbreds. Should the sales finish with the firmness which has characterised them throughout, it is possible that a new basis may be arrived at for further business. In the meantime users are not in straits for raw material, and they are content to adopt a waiting attitude. This applies not only to the top trade, but to English wools, which are exceedingly stiff and getting into small compass.

SYDNEY BUSINESS TO DATE.

The offerings and sales by the various Sydney selling houses for the current season to date are as follows:—

Selling Brokers.	Catalogued.	At Auction.	Total Sales.	Corresponding period last Season.
	Bales.	Bales.	Bales.	Bales.
A. M., L., F., Ltd.	41,253	37,102	41,228	37,947
John Bridge, Co., Ltd.	61,677	57,104	60,743	62,325
Co-op. W. and P., Ltd.	59,564	47,433	54,051	44,196
Dalgety, Co., Ltd.	85,407	77,768	84,699	83,110
Goldsbrough, Ltd.	55,047	50,479	54,253	61,239
Harrison, Jones, Ltd.	62,418	50,582	83,294	78,881
Hill, Clark, Ltd.	30,548	28,141	31,029	31,802
N.Z. L., M. A., Ltd.	56,569	51,202	54,835	57,655
Pastoral Finance, Ltd.	63,178	57,802	65,502	70,363
Pitt, Son, Ltd.	40,172	37,318	44,956	42,072
Scute, Bell, Ltd.	28,102	26,086	28,746	28,229
Winchcombe, Ltd.	78,343	68,108	91,030	102,771
Total	650,500	596,141	696,884	702,120
Decrease	84,072	21,974	5,236	—

NEXT WEEK'S ROSTER.

Nine catalogues will be submitted next week, totalling some 30,000 bales. The roster for large lots is as follows:—

Monday, March 7.—(1) Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, (2) Pastoral Finance Association, Limited.

Tuesday, March 8.—(1) Dalgety and Co., Limited, (2) Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Limited.

Wednesday, March 9.—(1) Co-operative Wool and Produce Company, Limited, (2) Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Limited, (3) Australian Mortgage, Land, and Finance Company, Limited.

Thursday, March 10.—(1) Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., Limited, (2) New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, Limited.

WOOL SHIPMENTS.

Seven vessels have cleared the Sydney Customs since last week's review for the United Kingdom and foreign ports with wool aggregating 36,820 bales, as compared with four vessels with a total of 31,519 bales during the corresponding week last year. According to the Customs returns, the quantity of wool shipped from Sydney from July 1, 1909, to February 28 last was 583,989 bales, and from Newcastle for over-ocean ports 13,398 bales, a total export for the first eight months of the current statistical year of 697,387 bales. The transhipments from Sydney for the current season total 25,544. The vessels with quantities for the week and comparative totals to date are as follows:—

	Bales.
Heligoland, Feb. 25, for Bremen	10,603
Tropic, Feb. 26, for London	707
Bremen, Feb. 26, for Bremen	6,147
Berlin, Feb. 26, for Hamburg	9,292
Rostock, March 1, for Bremen	6,512
Telemon, March 2, for London	3,018
Orontes, March 2, for London	545
Total from Sydney for the week	36,820
Total from Sydney and Newcastle from July 1, 1909, to date	704,422
Corresponding period last season	740,939
Decrease	36,517

Transhipments for current season, 25,544.
Transhipments corresponding date last season, 25,691.

FRUIT TRADE.

THE OTHER SIDE.

Mr. J. Roughley, Fruit Exchange, writes:—The article under review states that "The agents have no incentive to haggle or look for a good price; as long as they get enough to cover the charges for selling commission (6d per case), and the freight, they are right." My experience has been that the agent who, say, obtains the highest prices for fruit is the one whose business will grow, while any agent who is even to a degree careless will find his business going to pieces. Competition because of this fact is very keen amongst the agents, and each one is bent on, if possible, eclipsing the prices of the other. A fixed charge of 6d for selling, we are told, seems unique, as cattle, sheep, produce, etc., are sold on a percentage of values received. Selling cattle, sheep, etc., is very different to selling fruit, that is, local fruit. Stock are, as a rule, sold by auction, and there is oftentimes not as much work and worry attached to selling a beast, or 10 or 20 if they are put up in one lot, as there is at times in selling a case of fruit worth is 6d. In the former case the commission would amount, or could amount, to pounds, while the commission on the latter would be only 6d. It would be a difficult matter to fix a percentage, for instance, on fruit grown in Central Cumberland. There are orchards producing fruit which would pay to handle on a commission of 7½ per cent., but growers owning them would sooner pay the 6d per case. Other orchards would not pay to sell all round at less than about 15 per cent. Many orchards produce very inferior fruit, difficult to dispose of at very low prices. To sell this fruit at a 7½ per cent. commission would mean that it would nearly all be absorbed in expenses. Besides, the low commission would act as an incentive to growers to send to market a quantity of fruit that would realise no more than 1s per case, or even less, which would mean that agents would work for the growers, and pay them money as well, out of their own pockets. The fairest and most equitable method would be to make a fixed charge that would be equal to selling fair quality fruit at 7½ per cent., to apply it to all qualities of fruit. This has been done in the charge of 6d per case, which, with many agents, does not include cartage. In reality the charge is 5d per case. The charge of 7½ per cent., free of every cost, which is charged on to the growers, is the usual commission for selling all imported fruits, which pays from the fact that only fruit fit for export is shipped to Sydney from elsewhere. But the set charge of so much per case seems to me to be the only fair charge, inasmuch as it is just as difficult, and even more difficult, to sell low-priced fruit or inferior quality fruit as superior. This being so, it is surely right that the seller should receive as much in the one instance as the other. If the percentage system for selling fruit is the more just and equitable, then I maintain it is equally just and equitable that the growers pay their orchard hands by results. But this system would probably neither suit the growers nor their employees. It is worth quite as much to pull and pick a case of inferior fruit as it is a superior, and the grower has to pay the same for the labour. Some growers are in favour of the auction system for selling fruit, but others are strenuously opposed to it. For my personal benefit I would be pleased to adopt sales by auction, which I could do on a lower commission, but I do not think it would be advantageous to the growers. We have seen it tried in Sydney on a large scale, and proved it a failure. The auction sales provided facilities for rings and combinations. Buyers met at the sales and bought large quantities, and resold privately at advanced prices. There are no such possibilities for rings and combinations under the present system. In Melbourne there are auction rooms and private agents, yet the latter receive the great bulk of fruit exported from New South Wales. This fact speaks for itself. It is very nice to lay it down so prettily as follows:—"It must be comfortable for an agent to see 300, 400, or 500 packages dumped at his market stand each morning, and to know that for each one he is to receive 6d, and to have no worry or squabble about prices." It would be very comfortable, but alas! never happens. It's not often the 300 cases appear, and if they did, the sixpences are not sure, neither the worry or the squabble absent. It is hard to find buyers. It is nothing but the essence of worry, with continuous wrangling to try and get anything like a satisfactory price. The sixpences are not sure. Trust has to be given in the fruit trade, just the same as any other trade, and every year agents have bad debts to write off.

The remedial scheme is that "the city council might endeavour to buy out the agents' personal interests, the company, and their markets." Failing this, there are two alternative schemes, the first being that the council should open 50 or 100 shops in the best suburbs, and give the growers all the fruit realised with the exception of a bare commission. Should this fail then the council should resume the company's market. The first scheme should meet with little opposition as far as the company and agents are concerned. I have not the least doubt the company will be prepared to sell to the council, and no doubt the agents would be most happy to sell their personal interests, as there would be nothing in the sale to prevent a fresh company being formed, or fresh agencies being started. The only obstacles in the way are—(1) I am afraid the citizens of Sydney who are ratepayers will object to the council being turned into a philanthropic institution for the relief of the public; (2) as the council would not be able to successfully manage the fruit trade, which has been developed by speculative business men, until it has become of vast magnitude, I am afraid it will not at the present time be able to get hold of the "capable manager" required, who will be "able to regulate wholesale selling, and the supplies to the suburban shops, which he would have to supervise and open" in such a perfect manner as to altogether outbusiness a combination of keen business men, whom, despite the best schemes of the council, he will have to meet in opposition. The City Council has plenty of money to lose, and it would be a mere nothing to appropriate to the fruit trade a few thousand pounds of the accumulated funds of the Homebush saleyards, which would be ample to buy the company's and the agents' personal interests, or anything else that is required. Still—although I would like much to sell my business to the council—to be candid, I think if the scheme were entered upon by the council and continued, it would either in the end bankrupt the council, or, if it had the luck to recoup itself from the trade, would bankrupt the growers. The council has already lost money in the fish trade, a trade simple compared with the fruit trade. The agents still hold the bulk of the trade. The very fact also that the City Council has not been able "to give the public cheaper fish, or the fishermen better prices," leaves us less than little to expect from it in this particular, should it ever be so foolhardy as to attempt to run the fruit trade. In fact, the failure of the City Council to do what it set itself out to do proves, if it proves anything, that the fish agents all along were running straight, doing their best for their clients, just as the agents are doing in the fruit trade. It is the false assumption that agents are not working on the square which causes great benefits to be expected from rival schemes, which are not realisable.

MEETINGS OF FARMERS.

MULLUMBIMBY.—Mr. John Whitford has been elected president of the agricultural society, Messrs. H. Livingstone, J. Davidson, and J. Walker vice-presidents. The society has a credit balance of over £15 on the year's work.

MURWILLUMBAH.—At a meeting of the agricultural society committee Mr. A. E. Budd was appointed secretary. It was decided to send a delegate to Sydney to attend the conference on the question of affiliation of the country societies with the Royal Society, Sydney.

DISTRICT ITEMS.

MOLONG.—The continued dry, hot weather has had a withering effect upon the corn crops, which in January gave promise of a record yield. Practically the whole of the late crops are beyond recovery, although the early sown ones give promise of a fair yield. The farmers are anxiously awaiting a copious fall of rain to enable them to proceed with ploughing operations. The country throughout presents a very parched appearance.

PARKES.—No rain whatever was recorded locally during the month of February, which was the driest experienced for 16 years. Rain is very badly wanted to enable ploughing operations to be continued, and to assure good prospects for the winter. Messrs. Hawken Bros., of Woodbine, have just completed carting their fine crop of wheat to Bartley's Creek siding. From 36 acres worked up with spring-tooth cultivators, and sown with a broadcast seed sower, they took 2649 bags of wheat, an average of nearly 7½ bags to the acre.

MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC LIGHT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The question of the lighting of the borough was brought up at the last meeting of the Woollahra Council by Alderman Magney, who was in favour of a municipal gas supply as against the Australian Gaslight Company. Alderman Magney produced facts in support of his arguments. He showed that while 8000 people at Bathurst can get their gas at 3s per 1000 cubic feet, we in Sydney, numbering 600,000, have to pay the sum of 4s per 1000 feet, and yet we have an almost inexhaustible supply of coal next our very doors. But what I want to point out is what the ratepayers would like to see. Let the three councils, viz., Paddington, Waverley, and Randwick, erect an electric lighting plant between them, and let us have electric light in our homes as well as in the streets. It is no use telling us we will get it later on; when we are all dead; we want it now, and vested interest should not be allowed to stand in the way of municipal progress. I feel sure Alderman Magney will help us now in getting the up-to-date light of the times.

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The Company's Plantation. The Company's Plantation comprises 5900 acres in the wonderfully fertile Sagarai Valley, close to Samarai, the Commercial Port of Papua.

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Crops now Growing. ONE HUNDRED ACRES OF COCOANUTS AND VAST QUANTITIES OF SAGO ARE MARKETABLE CROPS NOW GROWING ON THE ESTATE; IN ADDITION, MILLIONS OF FEET OF THE MOST VALUABLE TIMBER, SUCH AS CEDAR, Etc., ARE READY TO CUT. INDIGENOUS RUBBER IS ALSO TO BE FOUND ON THE ESTATE, BUT IT IS NOT POSSIBLE TO ESTIMATE THE QUANTITY.

Immediate Returns. Immediate returns may be expected from these products so soon as operations commence.

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Quick Profits. Substantial profits should be earned by the Company from quick-growing crops, such as Murva (Bowstring Hemp), Bananas, Sugarcane, Tobacco, Peanuts, etc., etc. THESE CROPS WILL PRODUCE RETURNS WITHIN TWELVE MONTHS from the commencement of planting operations, and should pay a fair rate of interest, say, from 15 to 20 per cent., after the first year, rising to 40 per cent. before even the Rubber is tapped.

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I enclose herewith the sum of £ .... being a deposit of two shillings and sixpence per share on .... shares in the above-named Company, and I request you to allot me that number of shares upon the terms of the Company's Prospectus dated 5th day of February, 1910.

And I hereby agree to accept the same or any smaller number that may be allotted to me upon the terms of the said prospectus, and to pay the further sum of two shillings and sixpence per share on allotment, two shillings and sixpence per share at three months, and two shillings and sixpence per share at six months, and the balance in calls not exceeding two shillings and sixpence per share at any one time, at not less than one month's notice. And I authorise you to register me as the holder of the said shares.

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Address ....
Occupation ....
Signature ....
Date ....

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SOCIAL.

For the last three months Sydney has been, socially speaking, very quiet. Easter is fast approaching, and, although so early in the year, the season promises to open with the usual amount of gaiety. The Royal Agricultural Society's show is always a great attraction for country visitors, and this will take place in about three weeks, to be followed by the autumn meeting of the Australian Jockey Club and other festivities. Members of the social world will soon be returning from their various summer holidays, renewed, we hope, in health and strength. It is good for us all to come into frequent contact with other people; it relieves the monotony of the daily round and common task. Intercourse with others, by travel or otherwise, helps to prevent one from over-worry, and, with daily exercise, keeps us in health, both in mind and body, and so these annual holidays prove a boon to all.

The weekly "at home" of the Austral Club on Tuesday, January 25 (says an English correspondent) took the form of a reception to Lady Chelmsford, who was paying a short visit to England, and is now returning to Australia. Lady Taverner presided, and an excellent musical programme was arranged by Miss Baxter, at which the following New South Wales artists assisted:—Miss Madge Hopwood-Foldi, Miss Phyllis Hopwood-Foldi, Miss Madoline Royal, Miss Nellie Day, and Mr. C. Kilburn Heron. Miss M. Ozzard contributed some pianoforte solos. Lady Chelmsford wore a charming dress of faint pastel cloth, richly braided, a dark brown velvet and sable hat, with plumage, sable furs, a corsage posy of lilies of the valley, and diamond and emerald pendant. She was received by Lady Cockburn and Mrs. E. Lugard, who, with Mrs. Harold Burton, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Arthur Willis, Mrs. Mark Attenborough, and Miss Baxter, were the hostesses. Sir John Cockburn, on behalf of the committee and members of the Austral Club, welcomed Lady Chelmsford. Among those present were Viscountess Gormanston, Hon. Mrs. Schomburg Byng, Mrs. Muirhead Collins, Mr. T. A. Coghlan (Agent-General for New South Wales), Major Robinson and Mrs. Robinson, Lady Lucas Tooth and Miss Lucas Tooth, Mrs. R. Kermode, Miss Fawnes, Mrs. Arthur Potter, Mrs. Macpherson Grant, Miss Hilda Luxton, Miss Alice Crawford, Mrs. Walter Sully, Mrs. Mitchell Craig, the Misses Craig, Mrs. Moore and the Misses Moore, Miss Dorothy Willis, Mrs. Willimott and Miss Willimott, Mrs. F. Gibson, the Misses Hall, Mrs. Mackenzie and Miss Mackenzie (Sydney), Mrs. Galbraith and Mrs. Johnson, the Misses Ozzard, Miss Theo. Cowan, Miss Sylvia Yarra, Miss Downing, Mrs. Royle, Miss Pearl Forbes, Mrs. Maquay, Dr. A. Palmer, Mr. Lawrence, Mr. Jolliffe, Mr. Hopwood-Foldi, Miss Christian Muir, Miss Alma Barber, Mrs. Harker, Miss C. E. Capper, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Evershed, Mrs. Protheroe Jones, Mrs. Walter Preedy, Mrs. McBurney, Mrs. E. Visger, Miss Anderson, and Mrs. J. Harold.

Sydney at the present time is well off in having excellent performances at three theatres, so that those in town need not be dull in the evening with such delightful attractions. Mr. Oscar Asche and Miss Lily Brayton opened their farewell season at the Criterion last Saturday evening before a large and fashionable audience, the piece chosen being "The Merchant of Venice." The scenery is charming, and as usual with all Mr. Oscar Asche's productions the greatest care has been bestowed upon detail. Miss Brayton wears some beautiful dresses, each one being a correct reproduction of those of the period. In the first scene she has a cloth-of-gold tissue, with an overdress of nattier-blue ninon edged with gold, the bodice ornamented with gold and large turquoise, her girdle being studded with the same stones, as is also her gold cord cap, and her large blue feather fan is mounted with gold. A vieux rose crepe-de-chine is draped with ninon in a darker shade, the long hanging sleeve being lined with blue, and the corsage embroidered with gold and jewelled embroideries, her girdle being of gold, and a wreath of roses in her hair completes the toilette. She makes a charming Portia in her doctor's robes of red poplin and velvet collar, and a close-fitting cap of velvet. Pale blue crepe-de-chine, with an overdress of wedgewood-blue, both being embroidered with the key pattern, and studded with sapphires, is the dress in which she appears in the last scene, and with which she wears some beautiful sapphire ornaments and a long blue veil, reaching to the hem of her dress.

At the Theatre Royal Bernard Shaw's play, "Arms and the Man," is delighting crowded audiences every evening, and the dresses worn by the principals are worthy of notice, although the piece does not give much scope for dressing. Miss Katherine Gray's beautiful blue velvet cloak is bordered all round with fur, and has a wide collar and stole effects in gold satin handsomely embroidered. Later Miss Gray wears a Bulgarian walking dress of brown braided with blue and gold, and edged with a wide black and red fringe. The short overdress is of fawn chiffon, also bordered with blue and gold, and a small brown satin cap, with jewels, completes the toilette. Miss Elsie Wilson (the Russian maid) has some beautiful embroideries on her dress, which is of green velvet, the short embroidered bolero bodice being worn over a white blouse, and her hair ornaments with ropes of turquoise beads.

The newest evening dresses are all made in the draped style, or trimmed with some kind of drapery, but the folds are kept quite low, and the hips invariably closely fitted, the soft textures lending themselves with charming effect. Except for dancing, they are all of the trained type, the gauged puffings caught with handsome embroidery. The tight sleeve, barely reaching to the elbow, is gaining in favour, and the completely long sleeve is less used. The draped scarf is another innovation which is most effective on a satin dress, especially when the folds are spangled net or embroidered ninon. The possessors of old scarfs and shawls, whether of lace or embroidery, should now make use of them, as they form beautiful draperies on a trained foundation. Evening cloaks are wide and full, and of rich, soft satin or velvet. They have wide revers of embroidery, or narrow rouleaux of fine, soft leather, put on to the velvet background in quaint designs. Chiffon and fur also play a prominent part in the trimmings. The sleeves have not greatly altered, the kimono idea still prevailing, and the width depends on the wearer.

On Tuesday, February 22, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Barsby, Konubia, Strathfield, a farewell entertainment was tendered to Miss Lucy Astridge by her friends, prior to her departure for Queensland. Some interesting mementoes of the occasion were presented to Miss Astridge, and music and dancing made the time pass pleasantly.

The Girls' High School, Elizabeth-street, Sydney, was the scene of a pleasant gathering on Saturday afternoon, when the former pupils and the teaching staff, past and present, assembled to celebrate the silver jubilee of the foundation of the school. A portrait of the principal, Mrs. Garvin, commissioned from Mr. Norman Carter, was unveiled by Dr. Ida Coghlan, the presentation being made by Miss Nancy Norris. An address in book form, containing some excellent photographs of the school, and signed by all the subscribers to the fund, was handed to Mrs. Garvin, who suitably acknowledged the gift. An excellent musical programme and refreshments brought the afternoon to an agreeable close.

The marriage of Francis Llewellyn Piddington, youngest son of the late Archdeacon Piddington, with Gladys Mary Brougham Docker, fourth daughter of his Honor Judge Docker, of Eltham, Edgecliff-road, was solemnised at All Saints' Church, Woollahra, on Thursday, March 3, by Canon Tucker, of Melbourne (uncle of the bride), assisted by Rev. A. G. King, acting rector, and the Rev. J. G. Geer. The bride was given away by her father, and her wedding dress was of ivory duchesse satin, draped with old lace; she also wore a Limerick lace veil lent by a friend for the occasion. Her diamond and sapphire brooch and a white shower bouquet were gifts from the bridegroom. The bridesmaids were Miss Annis Docker, Miss Sylvia Docker (sisters of the bride), Miss Isabella MacCallum, and Miss Andrews (niece of the bridegroom). They wore white Indian embroidered muslins and white hats trimmed with brown roses and autumn leaves. They carried bouquets of autumn-coloured flowers. The two chief bridesmaids wore gold bracelets, and the two younger ones gold brooches, which, with their bouquets, were gifts from the bridegroom. The best man was Mr. Norman M. Lloyd; and Dr. Noel Docker acted as groomsman. A reception was subsequently held at Eltham, Edgecliff-road, by Mrs. Docker, and the bride and bridegroom received the hearty congratulations of numerous friends. Amongst those present were Mrs. Piddington, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Piddington, Mrs. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Docker, Miss Madeleine Docker, Miss Murray, Miss Steele, Mrs. J. Docker, Mr. Keith Docker, Sir Albert and Lady Gould, Senator and Miss Walker, Professor and Mrs. MacCallum, Dr. Graham, Miss Badham, Mrs. C. Gregory Wade, Mr. George Miller, Miss Miller, Mrs. Kelso King, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wade, Rev. Allan and Mrs. Pain, Mr. and Mrs. Deas-Thomson, Lady MacMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Holt, Miss O'Connor, Mrs. Campbell Brown, Miss Garrett, Mrs. and Miss Margery Shard, Miss Farran, Mrs. Heber Bode, Lady Graham, Captain and Mrs. J. d'Apice, Mrs. C. B. Stephen, Miss Dorothy Stephen, Mrs. and Miss Russell, Mrs. and Miss Airey, Miss Scott, Mrs. Rabett, Mrs. and Miss Flower, Mrs. David, Dr. Aspinall, Dr. Plomley, and Dr. Alan Barton. Later Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Piddington left in a motor for their honeymoon. The bride wore a coat and skirt of electric blue Shantung and a mole-coloured hat, with blue wings. A large number of beautiful presents were received.

A wedding was solemnised at St. Enoch's Presbyterian Church, Newtown, by the Rev. C. E. James, on February 15, when Myra Lillian Martin, fourth daughter of James Martin, of Marrickville, was married to Mr. Oswald B. Iddles, of Marrickville. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore an embossed ivory silk, trimmed with Malines lace and insertion. Her veil was of tulle, surmounted with a wreath of orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet. She also wore a diamond bracelet, the gift of the bridegroom. She was attended by her younger sister as bridesmaid, who wore a Princess robe of blue shantung silk, and carried a bouquet of pink roses and carnations, and wore a pearl pendant and chain, gifts of the bridegroom. Mr. H. Johnstone acted as best man. The service was choral. After the ceremony the wedding breakfast was served at the residence of the bride's parents, and later Mr. and Mrs. Iddles left en route to Penrose, where the honeymoon was spent. The bride's travelling dress was a Shantung silk, with a burnt straw hat, trimmed with black velvet. The presents were handsome and numerous.

The Methodist Church, Wollongong-road, Arncliffe, was the scene of a wedding on February 9, when Mr. J. D. Calvert, of Arncliffe, was married to Alice Ruby, eldest daughter of the Hon. J. G. Farleigh, M.L.C., of Mimosa, Dowling-street, Arncliffe, and president of the New South Wales Chamber of Manufactures. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. H. Beale. Both the bride and bridegroom being members of the choir the service was of a choral character. The church was beautifully decorated with peach blossom and asparagus fern, and a floral bell was suspended over the bridal party. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a dress of ivory, hand-embroidered ninon over satin, with an interlining of silver tissue, the bodice trimmed with Irish point lace. The handsome empire train was lined with silver tissue, and festooned down one side with soft lace, finished with a true-lover's knot of jasmine and orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of myosotis, and also wore a coronet of orange blossom, a garnet and pearl necklet (the gift of the bridegroom), and a hand-embroidered veil, the work and gift of Miss Lilian Ross (cousin), who, with Miss Grace Farleigh (also a cousin of the bride), acted as bridesmaids. They were dressed in white Swiss muslin, trimmed with Malines lace and embroidery, and wore large white picture hats. They carried posies of pink roses and myosotis, and wore gold bracelets, the gift of the bridegroom. Little Miss Dorothy and Master Jack Farleigh acted as trainbearers, the former in a long Kate Greenaway dress of cream silk, and a Juliette cap of pearls, and also wore a gold brooch, the gift of the bridegroom, and carried an ivory and silver fan, with Dorothy bag. Master Jack Farleigh was in a court suit of cream satin and a plumed hat, carrying a bow and arrow ornament, with flowers and ribbon streamers. The bridegroom was attended by Mr. Roy Clack, as best man, and Mr. W. Calvert and Mr. Howard Farleigh as groomsmen. Subsequently a reception was held by the parents of the bride, at Mimosa, where refreshments were served to about 160 guests in a marquee on the lawn. The happy couple left later for their honeymoon, which was spent at Yowie Bay. The bride's travelling dress was of cream Sicilian, relieved with touches of brown, and a hat to match.

St. Paul's Church, city, was the scene of a wedding, on Wednesday, February 16, when Allan John, eldest son of Mr. A. Grainger, of Redfern, was married to Elsie Grace, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Hughes, of Leslie House, Golden Grove. The church was decorated for the occasion, a wedding-bell being suspended, beneath which the bridal party stood. The Rev. Canon F. B. Boyce performed the ceremony. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a trained semi-empire dress of white silk, trimmed with lace and applique medallions, also a wreath and veil. She carried a shower bouquet, which, with a gold butterfly brooch (studded with opals) was the gift of the bridegroom. The bridesmaids were the Misses Ada, Ethel, and Stella Hughes (sisters of the bride). They each carried a shower bouquet of pink roses, and wore a gold brooch, the gifts of the bridegroom. Mr. W. Brooker (cousin of the bride) was best man, and Mr. A. Hughes (brother) and Mr. J. Barrington were groomsmen.

On Saturday, January 29, at the Methodist Church, Stanmore, the marriage of Elsie Elizabeth, second daughter of the late Henry Hicks, of Wahgunyah, Dulwich Hill, with Sydney Toogood Jones, eldest son of Mr. S. Booth Jones, of Castlewood, Stanmore, was solemnised by the Rev. J. G. Morris Taylor. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. Thomas H. Hicks, wore a handsome dress of ivory duchess messaline over glace silk. The bodice and sleeves were of ivory silk tulle and honiton lace, soutached with satin on Russia net. She also wore a coronet of orange blossoms and an embroidered tulle veil, and carried a shower bouquet, which, together with a diamond and peridot pendant, were the gifts of the bridegroom. The bridesmaids were Miss Mary Jones, sister of the bridegroom, Miss Beatrice Ritchie, and Miss Emma Jones. They wore pretty dresses of shell-pink crepe de chine, with hats to match, and carried pink bouquets, which, with coral and pearl earrings, were the gifts of the bridegroom. Mr. A. B. Jones, brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man, and Messrs. Ernest and Arthur Hicks, brothers of the bride, as groomsmen. The church was prettily decorated with pink and white wisteria by friends. After the ceremony a reception was held at Wahgunyah, Dulwich Hill, and later the happy couple left for the South Coast for their honeymoon. The bride's going-away dress was mauve silk crepe, with hat to match.

A wedding took place at St. Mary's Church of England, Mortlake, on Wednesday, February 23, when Ethel Lilian, eldest daughter of Mr. W. T. Peters, of Clifton, Tennyson-road, Mortlake, and John Ernest, eldest son of Mr. John Benson, Warrellda, Ryde, was married by the Rev. Mr. Stubbins. The church was decorated by girl friends, a wedding bell being suspended beneath which the bridal party stood. The bride was given away by her father, and wore a trained Empire dress of crystalline, trimmed with silk applique and sprays of orange blossoms, also a wreath and veil. Her bouquet and a handsome bold brooch were gifts from the bridegroom. The bridesmaids were the Misses Ada and Florence Peters, sisters of the bride. They were in white Empire dresses and carried bouquets of white and pink asters with pink streamers, which with their gold bangles were gifts from the bridegroom. Mr. Edwin Paul Benson, brother of the bridegroom, was best man, Mr. W. Peters, brother of the bride, being groomsman. During the signing of the register Miss Foulcher sang "A Song of Thanksgiving." A reception was afterwards held at Correy's Gardens, where 60 guests were entertained at breakfast. The bride's travelling dress was saxe blue, and a hat to match.

At St. Thomas' Church, North Sydney, on Wednesday, February 2, the marriage of Miss Lucy F. Godwin, only daughter of Mr. T. Godwin, of Crow's Nest, North Sydney, and Mr. Arthur L. Richards, son of Mr. T. W. M. Richards, of Miller-street, North Sydney, was solemnised by the Rev. S. H. Childe, B.A. The church was prettily decorated for the occasion by friends. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a princess dress of white satin striped silk, trimmed with tulle and silver, and an embroidered veil and wreath of orange blossom. Her bouquet was of white stephanotis and orchids, and she wore a gold bangle, the gift from the bridegroom. The Misses Ida and Ella Richards (sisters of the bridegroom) acted as bridesmaids, and wore dresses of white ninon over satin charmeuse, and white hats, their bouquet of roses and turquoise and pearl brooches being the bridegroom's gifts. The Misses Gracie Corbett and Brenda Richards were also in attendance as bridesmaids, in white muslin dresses, trimmed with Malines lace and white satin ribon, with wreaths of silver blue daisies in their hair. They carried bouquets of pink roses, and wore gold shamrock brooches, gifts from the bridegroom. Mr. W. Croft acted as best man, and Mr. J. Godwin as groomsman. After the ceremony, the "Song of Thanksgiving" was rendered by Miss Pansy Simpson. The guests, about 80 in number, proceeded to the Friendly Societies' Hall, Lane Cove-road, where a reception was held. Subsequently the presents (which were numerous and handsome) were inspected at the residence of the bride's parents, close by. The newly-married couple left during the afternoon for the South Coast, where the honeymoon was spent, the bride's travelling dress being a blue Chantung, with a black hat.

A wedding was celebrated in St. Brendan's Roman Catholic Church, Annandale, on Tuesday, February 8, when Miss Nellie Alicia Moran, fourth daughter of the late Mr. John Moran, of Wollongong, and Mrs. J. Moran, of Byron Bay, was married to Mr. Kaspar Wallace Drescher, of Goulburn, eldest son of Mr. K. Drescher, of Bowral. The Rev. Father Rohan officiated. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. M. Moran, was attended by two bridesmaids, Miss Florence Drescher (sister of the bridegroom) and Miss Mary Suppel, the best man being Mr. Aubrey Sherring, of Goulburn. Little Eileen Scott and Master Jack Newson acted as trainbearers. The bride wore a Directoire dress of ivory satin charmeuse, trimmed with crystal trimmings, silk piping, and Malines insertion, also a coronet and veil. A shower bouquet and a diamond ring were gifts of the bridegroom. The bridesmaids were dressed in ivory silk, trimmed with Malines lace and silver fringe. They carried bouquets of pink and white roses, with pink streamers, and wore pearl and olivine pendants, gifts of the bridegroom. After the ceremony the bridal party drove to the Colonnade Hall, where Mr. and Mrs. Newson entertained about 60 guests at breakfast. The bride's travelling dress was of amethyst Shantung, with braid and Oriental trimmings, and hat to match.

On Monday, February 21, at Erelsmere, Simmons-street, Enmore, the 50th anniversary of the wedding of George, youngest son of the late Richard Eldridge, London, and Elizabeth, eldest daughter of the late Henry Thomas, Lydney, Gloucestershire, England, was celebrated. The wedding ceremony was performed by special license at St. James' Church of England, Sydney, by the Rev. Canon Allwood on February 20, 1860, and ever since then Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge have spent a long and happy career, the whole of which they have lived in Sydney. They have seen many changes in the history of Australia, and can relate many stirring incidents of the "good old days." The old couple were the recipients of many handsome presents from their family and friends. They were the parents of 10 children, nine of whom are living and were present at the festivities on Monday, one lately coming from New Zealand and another from Victoria.

A marriage was performed by the Rev. P. J. Doran, in the R.C. Church, Cargo, on Wednesday, February 2, when William, third son of Mrs. Middleton, of Sunnyside, Gum Flat, was married to Bella, fourth daughter of Mrs. Hendrey, of Briar Angle. The bride wore a cream silk crystalline, with lace insertion, also wreath and veil, and a handsome gold bangle, the gift of the bridegroom. Miss Hendrey and Miss M. Middleton were bridesmaids, and wore cream Sicilian and cream voile dresses respectively, with hats to match. Mr. T. Callan, cousin of the bride, was groomsman. The bride's going away dress was of amethyst charmeuse cloth, with hat to match.

THE PREMIER'S TOUR.

QUESTION OF STATE DEBTS.

MEETING AT LISMORE.

LISMORE, Friday.

The Premier, Mr. Wade, accompanied by Mr. Perry, Minister of Agriculture, arrived here by motor car at 5 o'clock on Wednesday, and was welcomed by the Mayor and prominent citizens, including Mr. Hindmarsh. In the evening the Premier delivered an address from the balcony of an hotel, the only hall available not being considered nearly large enough. About 1500 were present. The Mayor presided.

The Premier made a long address, recapitulating the features of his speeches delivered elsewhere on the financial agreement, the acceptance of which he advocated strongly. Regarding the transfer of State debts, he said, under existing circumstances the Commonwealth have power to take over debts to date of Federation—some £200,000,000. They were only now asking for power to take over debts incurred since 1901, and further debts. If they voted "No" it would not affect the rights of the people or rights of the States at all, and he did not think it would if they voted "Yes." If he thought it would in any way curtail the rights of the States he would advise them to vote "No." The cause of alarm was that opponents of the proposal said that the Commonwealth, on taking over the debts, became responsible for the credit of them, and if they become so responsible they will want to have some check on reckless borrowing by the States if they are financing their debts. They should be able to protect themselves against that, and have power to control State borrowings. If he had any doubts on that point, or that the Commonwealth would try to obtain such power to control states borrowing when, where, and how they wished, he would fight the proposal to the last ditch. Mr. Deakin had said that the Commonwealth had no wish to control the States, and if some method of regulating the borrowing were not devised by the States themselves the Commonwealth did not want to force one on the States against their wish. This was, perhaps, not specific, but he had also said that the question must be settled, so as to satisfy the States themselves, and if they failed to agree the Commonwealth would not step in and force them. He had written to Mr. Deakin on the matter before leaving Sydney, and the same night, by a peculiar coincidence, the Minister for Defence, Mr. Cook, speaking at Parramatta, dealt with the same subject. When they had assurances like this from Ministers that control must be settled voluntarily by the States, he could see no danger. Liberal or Labour, there was not a man who would dare to say he would give over control of their borrowing, and if there was one, they would be justified in hounding him off the platform. In his opinion, with this pledge, they would be quite safe in voting "Yes." (Applause.) He had followed the financial question week by week for two years, and could speak with authority. The 25s per head proposal contained all the elements of safety for New South Wales, so he urged them to vote "Yes" on it, and if they did not they would be fools.

He then made some lengthy references to State politics, severely condemning the attitude of the Labour party on the recent strike, and asked, in view of it, were they men to be put in power? Before concluding his address, he said he wished to make his remark about not taking any part in the election of favouring one candidate more than another very clear. He did not wish to interfere in Federal politics, except as they touched State rights. He was astounded, however, on coming here, to find there were two candidates in the field in the Liberal interest. From inquiries made, he believed if two went to the poll, they would both be defeated. It was deplorable that there should be a split. He could not help it if his words were unpleasant, and he hoped they would sink differences on an occasion like this. Liberal interests wanted consolidating, and it was all important that one man should carry the flag. The other side taught them a good lesson in party discipline, in regard to this, for when a man was not selected, he at once stood down in favour of the selected candidate. If both these candidates went to the poll, neither would get in. A vote of thanks was accorded on the motion of Mr. J. Barrie, seconded by Mr. J. E. O'Flynn, and carried enthusiastically. The meeting concluded with cheers for Mr. Wade.

BARRIER WATER SUPPLY.

The Public Works Committee met on Thursday for the further consideration of the expediency of constructing a scheme of water supply from Umberumberka Creek for Broken Hill, with railway connection from Silverton to the site of the proposed dam.

Dr. C. S. Willis, assistant Government medical officer, gave particulars of the analysis of Broken Hill water. He will produce further evidence on Monday next. The committee intends to proceed to Broken Hill some time next week for the purpose of securing additional evidence.

LITHGOW SMALL ARMS FACTORY

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—On February 23 I wrote to the two Sydney morning papers on this subject, offering to show to the press or the Government a copy of the tender of the Lancashire Dynamo Company, which is below that of the Fitzroy Dock Company.

I suggested that possibly the Federal authorities might claim this tender was informal, although personally I can find nothing that would warrant such a decision. Having waited for a reply to this by the authorities, and not having been asked to produce a copy, as offered, I can only assume that that is not the reason for the Government neglecting to give consideration to this tender.

Feeling quite certain that no Minister of the Crown would prevaricate and make statements such as have been made were he in possession of all the facts, it seems that the tender must have been kept back, and I therefore ask, on behalf of my association, that either the Government acknowledge this tender or give their reasons for not acknowledging it, or as an alternative that a Royal Commission be appointed to go thoroughly into the question and ascertain why all tenders, including this one, were not placed before the Minister.

Trusting that you will allow me to make this last attempt to get justice for my association,

I am, etc.,
EDWARD J. ERSKINE,
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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—In Equity.—In the Matter of the COMPANIES ACT, 1899, and in the Matter of the AUSTRALIAN JOINT STOCK BANK, Limited.—NOTICE is hereby given that his Honor Mr. Justice Street, Judge in Equity, has directed a meeting of the holders of Inscribed Deposit Stock and of B. Fixed Deposit Receipts issued by the abovenamed Bank resident in the State of New South Wales to be summoned pursuant to the Companies Act, 1899, for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, approving of a scheme of arrangement or compromise being made between the holders of the Inscribed Deposit Stock and of the B. Fixed Deposit Receipts issued by the said Bank and the said Bank and its Liquidator, whereof a copy can be seen at the offices of the Liquidator of the said Bank, corner of George and King streets, Sydney, and at the various branches of THE AUSTRALIAN BANK OF COMMERCE, Limited, throughout the State of New South Wales, and that such meeting be held on Monday, the twenty-first day of March next, at noon, at Sydney, at a place to be appointed by the said Liquidator, at which time and place all the holders of the Inscribed Deposit Stock and of the B. Fixed Deposit Receipts of the said Bank in the State of New South Wales are requested to attend. The said Judge has appointed PHILIP HENRY MORTON, lately the Chairman of Directors of the said Bank, or, failing him, such other person as the said Liquidator may appoint, to act as Chairman of the said meeting, and to report the result thereof to the Master in Equity. And the said Judge directed that the matter of the confirmation or otherwise of any scheme of compromise or arrangement should come on for hearing on Tuesday, the fifth day of April next.—Pursuant to the abovementioned Order, I appoint the Hall of the Young Men's Christian Association, Bathurst-street, Sydney, as the place where the said meeting is to be held. Dated this 28th day of February, 1910. A. P. STEWART, Liquidator of the Australian Joint Stock Bank, Limited.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of FRANCIS PEARSON, late of Little Bay, but formerly of Petersham, in the State of New South Wales, Gentleman, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the first Accounts and Plan of Distribution in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate or being otherwise interested therein are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the first day of APRIL, at 10.15 in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said Accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And Notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court Commission will be applied for on behalf of the said Administrator. Dated this fourth day of March, in the year 1910. R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Acting Registrar. MURPHY and MOLONEY, Proctors for Administrator, 90 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of CATHERINE PEARSON, late of Terry-street, Petersham, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the first Accounts and Plan of Distribution in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate or being otherwise interested therein are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the first day of APRIL, at 10.20 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said Accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And Notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court Commission will be applied for on behalf of the said Executor. Dated this fourth day of March, in the year 1910. R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Acting Registrar. MURPHY and MOLONEY, Proctors for Executor, 90 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

MONA EXTENSION EST., surrounded by good residential properties, Auc. Sale, TO-DAY. R. and H.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JOHN KING, late of Quirindi, in the State of New South Wales, Old Aged Pensioner, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the First and Final Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the seventh day of April, at 12 o'clock noon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise, if the said Accounts be not objected to, the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court commission will be applied for on behalf of the said Executors. R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Acting Registrar. PERCY DIGBY COX, Proctor, Quirindi. By H. C. ELLISON RICH, High-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—No. [illegible].—In the Will of LOUIS FOUCART, late of Richmond, in the County of Yorkshire, in England, Doctor of Medicine, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth and Final Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the thirteenth day of April, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise, if the said Accounts be not objected to, the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court commission will be applied for on behalf of the said Executor. Dated this fourth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten. R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Acting Registrar. VILLENEUVE-SMITH and DAWES, Proctors for Executor, 26 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of WILLIAM BALL, late of Kogarah, in the State of New South Wales, Landholder, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the First Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate or being otherwise interested therein are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the thirtieth day of March next, at 10.15 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said Accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. Dated this fourth day of March, A.D. 1910. R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Acting Registrar. W. ARCHIBALD A. MAZE, Proctor for the Executors, Martin-chambers, Moore-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of CHARLES KERR, late of Rocky Halls, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration de bonis non of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to EDWARD KERR, the eldest Son of the said deceased, and that the usual Administration Bond be dispensed with. Creditors are required to send in particulars of their claims to, and all notices may be served at, the office of the undersigned. C. BERKELEY JENKINS, Proctor for the Applicant, Pambula. By his Agents, ABBOTT, TOUT, and CO., Solicitors, Ocean House, Moore-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of JOHN FREDERICK MARRIOTT, late of 88 Old Canterbury-road, Petersham, in the State of New South Wales, Grocer, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to BESSIE MARRIOTT, the Widow of the said deceased; and all notices may be served on the Applicant at 88 Old Canterbury-road, Petersham.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH Wales.—In Equity.—No. [illegible], of 1909.—In the matter of the "Companies Act, 1899," and in the matter of the Pacific Fisheries, Limited.—NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—By direction of the Master in Equity, the Creditors of the abovenamed Company are required, on or before the 2nd day of April, 1910, to come in and prove their debts or claims by filing affidavits verifying same at the Office of the Master in Equity, Chancery-square, Sydney, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts or claims are proved. Forms for proving debts can be obtained from the undersigned. WILLIAM HARRINGTON PALMER, Official Liquidator, 47 Elizabeth-street, Sydney, 28th February, 1910.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of HENRY REICHARDT (generally known as HENRY RICHARDS), late of Granmaille, near Bangalow, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased, with power to sell the Real Estate of the deceased, may be granted to ELEANOR REICHARDT (generally known as ELEANOR RICHARDS), the Widow of the said deceased, and all Notices may be served at and all claims should be sent to the office of the undersigned. SOMERVILLE and ADRIAN, Proctors for the applicant, Bangalow. By SLY and RUSSELL, Solicitors, 369 George-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of THOMAS BUTTLE, late of Queanbeyan, in the said State, Tanner, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased, and also that an order empowering the Administratrix to sell the real estate of the said deceased, may be granted to MARY BITTERLY BUTTLE, the Widow of the said deceased. All claims against the Estate of the said deceased and all notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned. MORGAN and KORFF, Proctors for the Applicant, Queanbeyan. By their Agents, METCALFE and DANGAR, Bligh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of FRANK OSWALD STARKEY, late of Neutral Bay, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Ginger Beer Manufacturer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ETHEL MAY STARKEY, ALFRED ERNEST STARKEY, and ROBERT GEORGE PRIDDLE, the Executrix and Executors named in the said Will, and all notices may be served at the address of the undersigned, to whom creditors are required to send in particulars of their claims forthwith. Dated this fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and ten. PRIDDLE and GOSLING, Proctors for the Executrix and Executors, Hoffnung's-chambers, 163 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of WILLIAM JOHNSON, late of Croydon, in the State of New South Wales, Public Accountant, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the First Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate or being otherwise interested therein are hereby required to come in before me at my said office, on or before the eleventh day of April, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said Accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. Dated this third day of March, in the year 1910. R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Acting Registrar.

IN THE ESTATE OF CATHERINE MAIN (nee McIntyre), late of Ipswich, in the State of Queensland, widow, deceased, intestate.—PERSONS claiming to be NEXT OF KIN of the abovenamed deceased, who died at Ipswich, Queensland, on the 31st October, 1905, or to be the legal personal representative of such of the said next of kin, as are now dead, are requested to send particulars of their claims to the Curator of Intestate Estates, Brisbane, in the State of Queensland, not later than the 1st day of June, 1910. F. W. ROLE, Deputy Curator of Intestate Estates, Treasury-buildings, Brisbane, 8th November, 1909.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of JOHN MACKENZIE, late of Sandridge, near Jerilderie, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JOHN THOMAS MACKENZIE, a Son of the said deceased, and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. HENRY DAWSON, Solicitor for the Administrator, 58 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

IN THE INDUSTRIAL COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—In the matter of an application by DENNIS McGUIRE, on behalf of himself and others, the members of the MILK VENDORS' ASSOCIATION, to vary the award of the Milk Industry (Carters, etc.) Board, made on 27th October, 1909, and amended by the Industrial Court on 17th November, 1909.—Take notice that the abovenamed Dennis McGuire, for himself and others, the members of the Milk Vendors' Association, will make application to the Industrial Court on Monday, the 14th day of March, 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon or as soon thereafter as the Court may hear the application to vary the abovementioned award in the manner hereunder set forth; and take notice that objections may be filed at the office of the Registrar not later than the 12th day of March, 1910. Take notice also that if objections are not filed on your behalf you may be made subject to such order as the Court may make against you in your absence. Take notice, further, that any such order which the Court may make may be in terms differing from the matters contained in this application. The following are the particulars of the variation in the Award for which it is proposed to make application as aforesaid:—

That clause (9) be varied so as to provide that all employers bound by the Award who give their employees every Wednesday as from 10 a.m. shall be exempted from giving a day a month.

Dated this first day of March, 1910.

DENNIS McGUIRE,
Trafalgar-street, Annandale.

BILLS OF EXCHANGE ACT, No. 27, 1909 (Commonwealth), with a complete Index, by F. A. A. Russell, price 2s, posted 2s 1d. The LAW BOOK CO. OF AUSTRALASIA, Ltd., 73 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—No. 45,403.—In the Estate of JOHN THOMAS DODDS DURRAN, late of Auburn, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Telegraphist, deceased, intestate.—Notice is hereby given that the First Accounts of the Administrator in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Queen's-square, King-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate or being otherwise interested therein are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the twelfth day of April next, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court commission will be applied for on behalf of the said Administrator. Dated this third day of March, 1910. R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Acting Registrar. S. KEARNEY, Solicitor for the Administrator, Nos. 9 and 10 Lyndhurst-chambers, 84 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

GREER'S HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA (Cloudy) used in the Bath, renders the water soft and pleasant, and will beautify and cleanse the skin. ALL GROCERS AND STOREKEEPERS.

(For Continuation see Index to Advertisements.)

PUBLIC NOTICES.

SYDNEY MUNICIPAL LIBRARY.

QUEEN VICTORIA MARKETS.

It is hereby notified for the public information that TICKETS enabling the Holders to BORROW BOOKS from the above Library are being issued now, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 9 p.m. daily (Sundays excepted), at the Library.

In terms of the Bylaws the following persons are entitled to become Borrowers, viz.:—

(1) Persons whose names are on the Municipal Roll of Sydney.

(2) Persons who provide a Guarantee, signed by a Ratepayer of the city.

(3) University and Technical College Students, and School Children between 12 and 16 years of age, who provide a recommendation signed by a Professor, Lecturer, or Teacher, and a Guarantee signed by a Parent or Guardian.

Forms may be obtained and Copies of the Municipal Rolls seen at the Library.

The Newspaper Room is open from 8.30 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily (Sundays excepted).

W. G. LAYTON,
Acting Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Sydney, 1st March, 1910.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.—I, HERBERT NORMAN AUGUSTUS HOLT, of Lennox-street, Newtown, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, formerly and rightfully known as HERBERT NORMAN AUGUSTUS PLATER, born on the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, at Newtown, in the said State, Son of MARTIN PLATER, do hereby give notice that, as from the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and ten, the name Herbert Norman Augustus Holt has been, and will be for the future, assumed, taken, and adopted by me, in lieu of the name Herbert Norman Augustus Plater, by which I have heretofore been called and known; and that at all times hereafter the name Herbert Norman Augustus Holt will alone be used and adopted by me in all business documents and writings, and all legal and other proceedings and instruments. And I further give notice that a duplicate of this notice is about to be forthwith filed in the office of the Supreme Court of New South Wales, at Sydney aforesaid. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and ten. HERBERT N. A. HOLT. Witness to the signature of Herbert Norman Augustus Holt—F. W. STYLES, Clerk to James W. Abigail, Solicitor, 109 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.

FLYING MACHINES FOR MILITARY PURPOSES.

A Prize of £5000 is offered by the Commonwealth to the INVENTOR or DESIGNER of the FLYING MACHINE which is adjudged by the Minister for Defence to be subject to the conditions set out in Commonwealth of Australia Gazette of 11th September, 1909, No. 49, as the best and most suitable for Military purposes.

Entries for the Prize must be made on the printed form, which may be obtained upon application by letter to the Secretary, Department of Defence, and such Entries must reach the Secretary, Department of Defence, on or before the 31st day of MARCH, 1910.

Every Entry must be signed before a Justice of the Peace, and must contain a declaration verifying the statements therein.

Dated at Melbourne the 8th day of September, 1909.

S. A. PETHEBRIDGE,
Acting Secretary, Department of Defence.

THE INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS OF AUSTRALASIA.

Belmont-building,
15 Castlereagh-street,
Sydney.

An EXAMINATION under the above Institute will be conducted in the two undermentioned Subjects on APRIL 18th and 19th, 1910, for admission to the above Institute.

Full particulars, forms, etc., may be obtained from the Hon. Secretary, or Registrar, at the above address.

Applications, accompanied by the Fee, 10s 6d, will be received up to March 31st, 1910.

SUBJECTS:—

APRIL 18th.—Bookkeeping—Part 1, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
APRIL 18th.—Auditing—2 a.m. to 6 p.m.
APRIL 19th.—Bookkeeping—Part 2, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
(Including Executorship Accounts).

Successful Candidates will be eligible for Final Examination in Law to be held in October next.

J. C. SELMES, Registrar,
Belmont-building,
15 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

THE Public are cautioned against Negotiating Bond Warrant T2203 on Argyle Bond for 23 cases Sardines, the same having been lost.
TRANDEL and LITTLEY.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

SYDNEY HOSPITAL.

The following Subscriptions and Donations received during the Month of February, 1910, are hereby thankfully acknowledged:—

	£	s	d
A.M.P. Society, Store Staff	£1	0	0
Armstrong, Dr. George	1	1	0
Amalgamated [illegible] Hospital Fund	2	2	0
[illegible], J. L.	2	2	0
Anonymous	0	10	6
[illegible], W. J., and Co.	5	5	0
[illegible], the Hon. [illegible]	1	1	0
"Bulletin" [illegible]	2	2	0
British Australian Tobacco Co., Ltd.	4	4	0
Blackwood, J., and Son, Ltd.	2	0	0
Boyd and [illegible]	1	1	0
Burroughs, Wellcome, and Co. and Employees	6	10	6
Co-operative Wool and Produce Co.	4	12	6
Cape, H. A.	2	2	0
Crane, G. E., and Sons, Ltd.	1	1	0
Cope and Co.	1	1	0
Collins Bros. and Co., Ltd.	1	1	0
Campman, Francis, and Co.	1	1	0
Chinese Joss House	0	10	6
Collier, T., and Son	2	2	0
Central Wharf and Stevedoring Co.	0	10	6
Clark, Marcus, and Co., Ltd.	2	2	0
D'Arcy Irvine, Archdeacon G.	1	1	0
Dowsons Bros.	0	10	6
Employees Grant Barnett	1	1	0
Erckmann, John	3	14	6
Edols, C. H.	1	1	0
Fawcett and Johnson	5	5	0
Farr, James, J.P.	1	1	0
Foster and Sons	1	1	0
Forbes, E. J.	0	10	6
Fairfax, John, and Sons	1	1	0
Gibson, J. A. D.	5	5	0
Goldstein, S.	1	1	0
Grigg, J.	1	1	0
Gobo Bros.	2	2	0
Goodearl, Ltd.	1	11	6
Graham, Sir James	1	1	0
Gillespie Bros. and Co.	1	1	0
Gibbs, Bright, and Co.	2	2	0
Hil Lee and Co.	2	2	0
Horne, Joseph	1	1	0
Helron and Smith	2	2	0
Hickey, W. J., and Sons	1	1	0
Hospital Sunday, St. James'	1	1	0
Jones, J. Leigh, and Co.	36	10	6
Kronheimer, Ltd.	1	1	0
Keep, John, and Sons, Ltd.	2	2	0
Lysaght Bros. and Co.	2	2	0
Lewinson, C. H.	2	2	0
Lee Sang and Co.	1	1	0
Masonic Lodge Unity	1	1	0
Masonic Lodge, Robert Burns	2	2	0
Muir and Neil	1	1	0
Muston and Yates	1	1	0
Merivale, G. M.	1	1	0
Meeks, A. W., the Hon., M.L.C.	1	1	0
McCarthy, J., and Co.	2	1	0
Nielsen, N. P., and Co.	1	1	0
Newton, Chas., by request, the late	1	1	0
Newcombe, W., J.P.	3	3	0
Pigott, Mrs. Louisa M.	50	0	0
Preston, H. J., and Co.	1	1	0
Pittar, A. T.	1	1	0
Reid, J. R., and Sons	0	10	6
Royal Shipwreck and Humane Society	1	1	0
Railway and Tramway Hospital Fund	5	0	0
Rylands and Sons, Colonial, Ltd.	26	12	0
Schleicher, Rev. F. L. A.	1	1	0
Scott, Henderson, and Co.	1	1	0
Singer Manufacturing Company	2	0	0
Sanderson, John, and Co.	5	5	0
Stephen, C. B.	1	1	0
Scottish Australian Investment Co.	3	3	0
Spicer, James, and Sons	2	2	0
United Insurance Co., Ltd.	5	5	0
Warley, C. and H., and Co.	1	1	0
Williamson, John, and Sons	1	1	0
Way, E., and Co.	2	2	0
Willis, F. A. B.	1	1	0
Weeks, J. J., Ltd.	1	1	0
Watt, Captain and Mrs. Oswald	10	0	0
Watson and Crane	2	2	0
Donation under 10s	0	6	0
	£355	19	6

Amount received from Grateful Patients ... £343 6 7

The following donations in kind are also thankfully acknowledged:—

Papers and Magazines.—Miss McConochie, Beard and Son, Hudson Chemical Co., Miss Hill.

Concert.—Lieutenant Bentley, State Military Band.

Miscellaneous.—2 gallons Brandy, Lorne, Locke, and Co.; Children's Garments, St. James' Branch Mothers' Union, Rev. Newmarch; Fruit, Almanacs, and Fans, Turker and Co.; Flowers, Petersham Baptist C. E. Society.

DAVID FELL, Hon. Treasurer.
Macquarie-street, March 5, 1910.

NEW SOUTH WALES INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB AND THE BLIND.

The undermentioned SUBSCRIPTIONS and DONATIONS received during the month of FEBRUARY are thankfully acknowledged:—

	£	s	d
Abbott, W. E.	£2	2	0
Anderson, Mrs. Janet	1	1	0
Andrew, John, and Co.	1	1	0
Bank of Australasia	2	2	0
Berman, A. B.	1	0	0
Blashki, Aaron	1	1	0
Bowen, J. E.	1	1	0
Cameron, J.	2	2	0
Cape, H. A.	1	1	0
Cove, L. E.	1	1	0
Davey, F., and Sons	1	1	0
Duggan, Mrs. B.	1	1	0
"F.E."	1	0	0
Fairfax, John, and Sons	2	2	0
Fallick, James, M.L.A.	1	1	0
Fordyce, Dr. H. Sinclair	1	1	0
Freeman, S., and Sons, Limited	1	1	0
F.W.S.	1	0	0
Gray, J. W., and Co.	1	1	0
Gullet, Henry	1	1	0
Harris, Mrs. Oberlin	1	0	0
Henry, Dr.	2	2	0
Hill, Clark, and Co.	1	1	0
Hoffnung and Co., Limited	1	1	0
Hooper and Harrison	1	1	0
Hoskins, Smith, and Co.	1	1	0
Kronheimer, Limited	1	1	0
Lang, John G. Dunmore	1	1	0
Lingen, J. T.	2	2	0
Lloyd, C. W.	1	1	0
McConochie, Mrs.	1	1	0
Manly Presbyterian Church	5	12	0
Maple-Brown, A. R.	1	1	0
Marsden, James	1	0	0
Masonic Lodge, Lake Macquarie, No. 243	1	1	0
Moss, Moses, and Co.	1	1	0
Office Staff, A.M.P. Society	1	0	0
Pastoral Finance Association, Limited	1	1	0
Phillips, Louis	1	1	0
Piggott, Mrs. Louisa M.	1	1	0
Rogers, His Honor Mr. Justice	1	1	0
Saber, E.	1	1	0
Scharff, Justus	1	1	0
See, Samuel	1	0	0
Simm, Mrs.	3	3	0
Smith, H. C.	1	1	0
Smith, Lance E.	1	1	0
Storey, J., junior	1	0	0
Stott and Hoare	1	1	0
Sutton and Co.	1	1	0
Taylor, Henry	3	10	6
Tiy Sang and Co.	1	1	0
United Insurance Company, Limited	2	2	0
Usher, Walter J.	2	2	0
Walker and Hall	1	1	0
Watson and Crane	1	1	0
Way, E., and Co.	1	1	0
Wingfield, J.	1	1	0
Winn, William	1	1	0
Sums under £1	[illegible]		
	£146	15	9

Berger, A., donation of vegetables.
Briscoe, J., 6 cases fruit.
Further subscriptions respectfully and earnestly solicited.

FRED. PHILLIPS, Hon. Treasurer.
WILLIAM RIGG, Hon. Secretary.
City-road, Darlington, Sydney.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL. VALVOLINE OIL CO. (N.S.W.), Ltd., have Removed to Mutual Life Buildings, Martin-place.

NORTH BROKEN HILL MINING COMPANY, N.L.

NOTICE is hereby given that, for the purpose of the New Issue of Shares recently authorised, the Share Registers of the Company will be closed on the 14th day of March, 1910, at 4 p.m. Only Shareholders on the Register on that date will be entitled to apply for the New Issue.

As soon after the 14th March as Lists have been prepared an application form for shares will be sent to Shareholders.

By order of the Board,
HENRY M. FIEDLER,
Manager.
Melbourne,
3rd March, 1910.

ENGLISH AGENCY.—The Undersigned, established upwards of 50 years, confine themselves exclusively to a General Commission Business, are well acquainted with Australian requirements, and possess special facilities for purchasing goods to the best advantage in the English and Continental markets.

Indents should be accompanied by each remittance or bank letters of credit to ensure full trade discounts. Account sales of produce under consignment rendered promptly, and net proceeds remitted or invested to order.

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EAST SYDNEY.

On Thursday afternoon a very successful meeting of women supporters of Mr. S. E. Lees was held at the rooms of the Fresh Food and Ice Company, King-street. Between 80 and 90 ladies attended. Mrs. Jenkins occupied the chair, and Mesdames Mosely, M'Kinnon, Bowman, and Preston Stanley were among the speakers. Representatives of the various women's leagues were in attendance, and a resolution was passed that all present form themselves into a ladies' committee to assist the candidate.

DALLEY.

The fight for Dalley promises to be keen. As the selected candidates have already tried conclusions at the last elections, when Mr. Wilks won by a little over 1000 votes, both are well known to the electors. The result last time came somewhat as a surprise to both sides. Mr. Howe was regarded in Labour circles as undertaking a hopeless task, and the followers of Mr. Wilks did not realise till the numbers were up how near they had stood to danger. No chances will be taken by either side this time. Mr. Howe's position is being strengthened daily by that thorough organisation in which the Labour party specialises, and he is being helped somewhat by the uncertainty which exists in some quarters as to Mr. Wilks' attitude towards the Fusion Government. The latter, on his part, is working strenuously to get his following compactly together. Now comes Mr. Huie into the field. The ultimate result may not be affected one way or the other by the new arrival, although Mr. Wilks is looked upon by many who are likely to vote for the newcomer as an independent pure and simple, and one whom earnest party men must pass over. On the other hand, Mr. Howe holds very pronounced Labour opinions, and his services to his union—the Amalgamated Society of Engineers—in arbitration matters have been conspicuous. Thus it comes about that in the peculiar circumstances of the contest the fight promises to be keen indeed.

SOUTH SYDNEY.

Mr. E. George, Liberal candidate, is making satisfactory progress. During the week Mr. George held successful meetings at Waterloo, Botany, and Surry Hills. In each place the candidate was afforded a good hearing. He denounced the late strike, and dealt trenchantly with the Labour party and its policy of promises and allurements. He urged the electors to avoid the experimental legislation promised by the Labour party, and earnestly solicited their support for the Liberals who had founded and preserved the freest Constitution in the world. Mr. George explained the financial questions, and advised the electors to vote in favour of having the Government proposals included in the Constitution.

COWPER.

Mr. Clem. Johnson has been selected to contest the Cowper electorate in the Labour interest.

NEPEAN.

The Granville branch of the Federal Liberal League held a meeting on the 2nd inst, when the following resolution was agreed to:—"That for the purpose of organising the Liberal workers of the electorate an invitation be issued to the presidents and secretaries of all branches and affiliated leagues to attend a conference at Granville on Saturday, the 12th inst, at 2 p.m." This resolution is being transmitted by the joint secretaries, Messrs. D. Irons and W. Sowter, to all the Liberal organisations in the electorate. At the meeting the situation in the constituency will be discussed in all its bearings, and an endeavour will be made to decide upon some course of action to end the present unsatisfactory position.

PARKES ELECTORATE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I note with regret that you have, under the heading of federal candidates for this electorate announced my candidature as "Independent," a misdescription, and a designation not correct, and calculated to do me harm and injure my chances of success. I beg, therefore, to draw your attention to the official advertisement appearing in your today's issue announcing that I am the selected candidate of the Parkes Federal Liberal League, constitutionally formed in the constituency with a membership of 2960 pledged Liberal electors, and have to inform you that before being selected by this league I pledged myself as a supporter of the Deakin-Cook party, and to the advocacy of the incorporation of the financial agreement in the constitution, which I request you will kindly note for the future in connection with the designation of my candidature in your columns. And have further to request that you will not again describe me as an "Independent" candidate, but give the correct description of my political position in contesting the electorate—the selected Liberal candidate of the local league.

I am, etc.,
H. E. PRATTEN.
March 4.

[Mr. Pratten and the Parkes Federal Liberal League must settle the claim with the party organisation, according to which we describe Mr. Bruce Smith as the selected Liberal candidate for Parkes, just as we accept the Labour party's selections.—Ed. "S.M.H."]

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Considerably over one month ago I applied to be admitted a member of the local Liberal League, and as instructed by the advertisement then running in your paper I made such application. I received no acknowledgment of my application, and although willing to pay any entrance fees, the secretary did not even acknowledge my letter. It therefore appears that these local leagues were not local leagues at all, but merely run by a few interested persons. I would like to point out the folly of running local leagues if the organisation is no better than this. I was quite prepared to join the local league as a disinterested member in so far as the candidates were concerned; but I do not think that the electors of Parkes will consent to a candidate being foisted on to them in this manner. I know several of the same opinion as myself.

March 4. I am, etc, LIBERAL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your correspondent "Liberal Elector of Parkes" endeavours to mask the real issue at stake. The Parkes Federal Liberal League was not concerned with Mr. Pratten prior to his selection. The whole cause of the present situation is the action of the central body in persistently ignoring the local Liberal bodies in direct contravention of its own rules; and the consequent determination of the local body to set about upholding its dignity and maintaining its right to have a voice in the candidate to represent it. It mattered not whether Mr. Pratten had or had not submitted his name to the central body last September, the Parkes Liberal League would still have adopted its present attitude. Local selection has been brought about in the proper and only legitimate way, and the league has further seen to it that their candidate is pledged to wholly support the financial agreement. It is significant that all of the correspondence in your columns directed against the league and Mr. Pratten has been cloaked in anonymity.

I am, etc, P. L. GREEN.

ELECTION MEETING.

Mr. H. E. Pratten: Lackey-street, Summer Hill, 8.

MR. DEAKIN'S MEMORY.

SIR WILLIAM LYNE SPEAKS.

ALBURY, Friday.

Sir William Lyne having to-day returned from travelling around the Hume electorate, his attention was directed to where his name had been mentioned in connection with Mr. Deakin's denial of the statement made by Mr. Matthews that he (Mr. Deakin) had offered to form a coalition Government with the Labour party. Sir William Lyne stated that Mr. Deakin was desirous of a fusion with Labour as the only democratic fusion that could successfully govern this country. "Mr. Deakin's memory," he said, "seems very short upon this point."

GIVING IT BACK.

SATISFYING AN ELECTOR.

GOULBURN, Friday.

At a meeting at Bungonia Mr. D. R. Hall, Labour candidate, referred to the fact that he was one of those who voted to increase members' salaries by £200 per year without consulting the electors. He stated that the increase only amounted to a penny a head per elector, and if anyone grumbled he would return the penny. "Give me mine," was interjected. "All right, said Mr. Hall, "come along and you shall have it." As the interjector did not comply with the request, the candidate stepped down from the stage and handed him the humble coin.

PARKES.

Evidence is being sent to the Liberal League as to the way "branches" are being formed and members enrolled in the Parkes electorate.

An elector of Drummoyne produces a membership ticket which was left at his house with the names of his wife and himself written thereon, and indicating they were members. The elector left the ticket at the central office of the Liberal League, endorsed with the statement: "Left at my house without application, and I have not paid any subscription." Another elector writes that when he applied for enrolment he was informed that his name and that of his wife were already enrolled. He further stated that this enrolment was made without the payment of any fee. Another elector from Enfield writes that he attended at a hall on the strength of a circular calling a meeting of the Federal Liberal League on January 27. When he arrived at the hall he found four persons there, and on inquiring of them about the matter they said that they had come "to form a branch of the league at Enfield." An elector of Ashfield proposed that the branch be formed. This was seconded by a resident of Burwood, and supported by a resident of Canterbury. An elector present got up to object, but found that his remarks were distasteful and left the hall. He explains that this was the way the branch at Enfield was formed.

Another elector writes that he attended a meeting in the Petersham Town Hall, called by advertisement, for the purpose of forming "a Parkes Federal Liberal League." There were very few present, and the chairman at the close of his address urged the formation of a league so that a Liberal candidate could be selected, and in reply to an inquiry as to the terms of membership, he said that the

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E. Eridis	1	0	0
Third sub. from Blayney and district	13	5	6
List No. 45 from Auburn, as follows:—Alderman John T. Lang 10s 6d, Alderman John Hunter 10s 6d, Alderman D. Sullivan 2s 6d, Alderman J. B. H. Gibbons 10s 6d, Alderman S. Hill 5s, John Long 5s	2	4	0
Staff Government Printing Office	12	9	9
Sub. to Farmers and Settlers' Newspaper from Barraba	2	1	0
Jas. Jackson	5	0	0
List No. 994, from Messrs. Turner and Co.'s employees	1	13	0
	£5188	0	2

The vicissitudes of families in the recent English general election have been remarkable. The two Peases—one a Unionist Whip, the other a Liberal Whip—have been beaten. The two Cottons, father and son, have been beaten. The two Morrison-Bells, Unionist brothers, have been beaten. The two Rutherfords—one a Unionist and the other a Liberal—have gone. Mr. H. D. Maclaren has been beaten and his younger brother elected; while Mr. J. W. Lowther, the Speaker, has been elected unopposed in one division of Cumberland, and his cousin, Mr. Claude Lowther, rejected in another.

LABOUR REPLIES.

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES ACT.

PREMIER'S STATEMENT TRAVERSED.

BY PRESIDENT OF LABOUR COUNCIL.

"One would believe from the remarks of the Premier," said Mr. E. Farrar, president of the Labour Council of New South Wales yesterday, in reference to Mr. Wade's statement upon the Industrial Disputes Act, "that the attitude of the Labour Council at the time the Act was being passed through Parliament, and up till the present date, was one of hostility towards the settlement of industrial disputes by peaceful methods as against the medium of the strike. The real fact is that the policy of the council has always been, and still is, in favour of settling disputes by arbitration, the only difference of opinion being as to the method to be adopted.

"The opposition of the council was not directed so much against the principle as against the procedure provided by the measure as presented to Parliament by the Wade Government, a fact which can be proven by the remarks of the deputation which waited upon the Premier when the bill was before the House, and which placed the full view of the council before him. The press were present at the deputation, so that our views were also placed openly before the public. On the afternoon of the same day, however, a deputation from the Employers' Federation waited upon Mr. Wade in camera. It has never transpired what took place at that meeting, but as Mr. Wade's remarks in the House did not embrace the views placed before him by the council, we can only assume that the influence of the Employers' Federation carried, well, very great weight. Further, the Employers' Federation subsequently carried a resolution endorsing the Act. How, therefore, Mr. Wade can make the statement that the measure was largely framed on the representation of the Labour Council I am at a loss to understand.

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EXPERT KNOWLEDGE NOT FOUND.

"Mr. Wade was very loud in his praise of the new principle to be introduced; i.e., that experts in the industries concerned. But this promise has not been borne out in our experience under the Act. We find that, instead of experts in the particular industries sitting on the boards, a large number of industries are adjudicated upon by men having no intimate knowledge of the work into which the board has been appointed to inquire. As a case in point, the Court only last week placed under the Collieries Mechanics' Board ten different classes of mechanics, which will mean that ten different unions will have to follow this board around the country to protect the interests of their members. And this notwithstanding the fact that a large number of these unions already have awards of the Arbitration Court and boards, and in some instances piece work prices have been fixed in these awards, covering this particular work in the collieries. If this policy is carried to its logical conclusion, the result will be that the unions will never be free from appearing before different boards in different parts of the country; or, on the other hand, if the unions cannot see their way clear to so look after the interests of their members, the latter will naturally fall out of the unions on that account.

THE NUMBER OF AWARDS.

"In regard to the statement made by Mr. Wade as to the number of awards obtained under the board system, it must be clearly understood that a large number of unions obtained awards under the old Act, for periods ranging from two to five years. When the common rule was granted by the Arbitration Court, the time for which it was to last was overlooked, and the common rule expired 12 months after the new Act came into force. The only way in which the unions could then obtain a continuance of the conditions as laid down in the common rule was through the procedure of a board under the Industrial Disputes Act. Thus it was that many of the unions who would not otherwise have come under the present Act were forced, through no fault of their own, but through an oversight on the part of the late Court, to adopt this procedure.

"Among the awards pointed to by Mr. Wade is that in regard to the tailoring trade; but the board in that case was sitting continuously for 11 months, and the whole of its work was swept away in three hours by the Industrial Court. This proves that the workers require a representative on the Industrial Court equally as well as on a board. The jam industry is also cited by Mr. Wade as one of those having received large benefits under the board system. It may be news to Mr. Wade, but that award was very disappointing to the workers in that particular industry. The paper mills award—another cited by Mr. Wade—also falls far short of the expectations of those working under the hard conditions of that industry. Mr. Wade states that the wages for adults were increased by 6s, and for girls by 7s per week. He doesn't state the total amount paid per adult or per girl per week. If these are the best results that his system can show out of 74 boards that have already given their decisions, then his measure has been tried and it has been proved wanting by his own statement.

"We were led to believe by Mr. Wade during the introduction of the measure that the Government would make every provision, by the appointment of inspectors, to see that the awards were carried out. The facts are, one inspector has been appointed, and he only makes an inspection on an information laid before the registrar. The latter on receipt of the inspector's report sends along a copy to the union, which has to take the whole responsibility of fighting the case through the court. And even when a decision has been given in our favour, the costs granted are not sufficient to cover the expense incurred in presenting the case to the Court. This means that the unions have to take the responsibility of moving the Court, and at the same time, win or lose, have to pay for the privilege.

BIASSED ADMINISTRATION.

"Our experience of the Government's administration of the penal clauses of the Act is a very bitter one. The first people to commit a breach of the Act were G. and C. Hoskins, Ltd., of Lithgow; but we didn't find the Government in a desperate hurry to bring these people before the tribunal provided under the Act. In marked contradistinction to this, the ink was hardly dry in the minute-book of the Rockchoppers' Union when two officers of that body were hailed before the Court and sentenced to two and three months, respectively. Then, again, when the mineowners of Broken Hill locked out their workers we found the Government excusing itself from action on the plea that the Barrier unions had moved the Federal Court, notwithstanding that Broken Hill is a part of New South Wales, and as such came under the jurisdiction of the Industrial Disputes Act. Further, when a North Sydney baker was brought before the Industrial Court and fined for many breaches of an award, we found the Government remitting 50 per cent. of the fine, notwithstanding that the Judge, after careful consideration, was of opinion that the penalty inflicted was commensurate with the breach. Then, the action of the Government in passing special legislation of a panic character, which was rushed through the House without due consideration, is reminiscent of the actions of past Governments in taking sides with the capitalists against labour when requested to do so by the press and the vested interests which the present Government seems so prone to accept its orders from. Mr. Wade says he believes that many of those who are joining in the outcry against the amended Act have never seen its contents, and are simply taking up the cry raised by a few interested leaders. How does this statement contrast with the Premier's attitude as the leader of the Government in placing the measure before Parliament, when the representatives of the people (who were never consulted upon this special legislation) were asked to pass the bill into law without themselves even having a copy of it available for perusal?

"As I said at the outset, the Labour Council's policy is not hostile to the settlement of industrial disputes by peaceful methods; but we feel that the Government has not succeeded in evolving adequate machinery for the settlement of such disputes. I look upon the Government's failure in this regard as being due to the fact that it is conspicuously lacking in sympathy for the workers, whom this kind of legislation so vitally affects, and instead of accepting our suggestions in the spirit in which they were offered, it allowed the exigencies of party politics to outweigh every other consideration."

BRICKLAYER ASSAULTED.

KICKED ABOUT THE HEAD.

John Shaver, 42, a bricklayer, living in Stanley-street, city, was assaulted in the street at an early hour on Thursday, and robbed of £5 and some silver. Shaver states that he was walking home when he suddenly received a blow from behind. He fell, and his assailants kicked him severely about the head, breaking his jaw, and causing other injuries to the head. He called for help, but after his assailants had robbed him of his money, they made off. He was taken to Sydney Hospital and treated.

MISS MYRA WALL'S RECITAL.

Miss Myra Wall, a pupil of Mr. A. Bertram Flohm, will give a dramatic recital at St. James's Hall on Thursday, the 17th instant. Miss Wall will be heard in several classic recitals, and will be assisted by Misses Elsa Fischer, Lilian Hay, Jessie Elphinstone, Gertrude Palmer, Messrs. Laurance Phillip and W. H. Lynch. The plan opens at Nicholson's to-day, where cards of invitation may be obtained.

AGRICULTURAL SHOWS.

BRAIDWOOD.

BRAIDWOOD.—The show was continued on Thursday, the attendance being large. The weather was cold but fine. A smoke concert was held on Wednesday night, when £105 was promised for special prizes for the show next year. Mr. R. G. Hassall, president, promised £30. Awards:—

Blood horse: J. J. Jeffries' Prjar, 1; R. M. Ware, 2. Two-year colt: F. M. Cooper, 1; J. Cargill, 2. One-year: E. Louis. Mare: E. Bunn, 1; M. M'Rae, 2. Draught Horses.—Stallion: J. Jeffrey, 1; F. M. Cooper, 2. Two years: J. Doyle. One year: Hyland Bros. Mare: D. Richardson, 1; R. J. C. Maddrell, 2. One year: J. Kennedy. Pair farm horses: J. Tanner, 1; G. A. Bassingthaite, 2. Active draught stallion: J. T. Russell. Mare, with foal at foot: G. A. Bassingthwaite, 1; D. Richards, 2. Filly, under 3 years: E. Grigg, 1; G. Tate, 2. Trotters.—Stallion: T. Colverwell. Mare: W. B. Henville, 1; Hyland Bros., 2. Two years old: J. M'Dowall, 1; G. A. Bassingthwaite, 2. Pony stallion: R. Keyte, 1; H. Ware, 2. Mare: G. Maddrell, 1; H. Maddrell, 2. Under 12 hands: H. L. Mater, 1; A. Colverwell, 2. All-round horse: W. H. Alley, 1; R. Keyte, 2. Spring-cart horse: W. J. M'Kay, 1; R. G. Hassall, 2. Family buggy horse: H. F. Maddrell, 1; R. Keyte, 2. Drafting competition: R. G. Hassall and Hensley divided first and second. Pony hack: J. E. M'Kellar; J. Stoyles, 2. Under 12 hands: H. C. Maddrell, 1; A. K. Colverwell, 2.

Military Events.—Best turnout: D. Flynn. Tent-pegging: F. Ryan. Lemon-cutting: F. Doolan.

Cattle—Durham bull, 3yrs and over: W. M'Dowall, 1; T. Galligan, 2. Over 2yrs: Hyland Bros., 1; T. M'Dowall, 2. 1yr: T. M'Dowall. Cow, 3yrs: Hyland Bros., 1 and 2. Heifer, 2yrs: Hyland Bros., 1 and 2. 1yr: G. A. Bassingthwaighte, 1 and 2. Hereford bull: J. H. Gordon. Under 3yrs: J. H. Gordon. Cow, 3yrs: R. Keyte, 1; J. H. Gordon, 2. Devon bull: R. E. Roberts, 1; H. C. Roberts, 2. Under 3yrs: J. Roberts, 1; H. C. Roberts, 2. Cow, 3yrs: R. E. Roberts, 1; H. C. Roberts, 2. Under 2yrs: J. Roberts, 1 and 2. Fat bullock: R. G. Hassall, 1; R. J. C. Maddrell, Jun., 2. Fat cow: R. J. C. Maddrell, 1 and 2. Pen 3 bullocks: R. G. Hassall, 1; R. J. C. Maddrell, 2. Pen 3 fat cows: R. J. C. Maddrell. Pen fat bullocks, not over 4yrs: W. M'Dowall, 1; E. A. Maddrell, 2. Fat bullock, farmer's class: W. M'Dowall, 1; Mrs. Allen, 2. Fat cow: R. E. Roberts, 1 and 2. Pen 3 bullocks: W. M'Dowall, 1; Mrs. Allen, 2. Best dairy bull: T. Kennedy, 1 and 2. 2yrs: T. M'Dowall. Bull, under 2yrs: T. M'Dowall, 1; R. E. Roberts, 2. 3 dairy cows: G. A. Bassingthwaighte, 1; T. M'Dowall, 2. Three cows, milking: R. G. Ware, 1; T. M'Dowall, 2. Three cows, dry: T. M'Dowall, 1; W. M'Dowall, 2. Champion dairy cow: R. E. Roberts, 1; R. G. Ware, 2. Three dairy heifers: T. Kennedy, 1 and 2. Under 3yrs: J. Roberts, 1; T. Kennedy, 2. Under 2yrs: T. Kennedy, 1 and 2. Champion bull: Hyland Bros. Champion cow: R. E. Roberts.

Sheep.—Merino ram: R. E. Roberts, 1; C. Snow, 2. Strong wool: R. E. Roberts, 1 and 2. Under four-tooth: R. E. Roberts, 1; W. H. Roberts, 2. Ewe: R. E. Roberts, 1 and 2. Under four-tooth: R. E. Roberts, 1 and 2. Ram, bred by exhibitor: R. E. Roberts. Ditto, ewe: R. E. Roberts. Pen three ewes: R. E. Roberts. Under four-tooth: C. Snow, 1; R. E. Roberts, 2. Champion ram: R. E. Roberts. Ditto, ewe: R. E. Roberts. Lincoln ram: G. A. Bassingthwaighte. Under four-tooth: H. C. Roberts, 1 and 2. Champion ewe, over four-tooth: R. E. Roberts. Champion, under four-tooth: H. C. Roberts, 1; J. Roberts, 2. Romney Marsh ram: T. M'Dowall, 1 and 2. Ewe: Hyland Bros., 1; T. M'Dowall, 2. Under four-tooth: T. M'Dowall, 1 and 2. Shropshire: R. A. Mater, 1 and ch; T. M'Dowall, 2. Ewe, over four-tooth: R. A. Mater, 1 and ch; T. M'Dowall, 2. Under four-tooth: R. A. Mater, 1 and 2. Three fat lambs: T. M'Dowall. Three fat merino wethers: H. C. Roberts, 1; Hyland Bros., 2. Three crossbred ditto: R. G. Ware, 1; G. Stoyles, 2. Three crossbred lambs: G. Stoyles, 1; T. M'Dowall, 2. Three fat merino ewes: R. E. Roberts, 1 and 2. Three fat crossbred ewes: G. Stoyles, 1 and 2. Champion Lincoln ram and ewe: R. E. Roberts. Romney Marsh ram and ewe: T. M'Dowall. Ditto Shropshire ram and ewe: R. A. Mater.

P. Kain took all the prizes in pigs.

Poultry.—The chief prize-winners were: Mrs. Hassall, M. M'Grath, A. G. Bassingthwaighte, E. Bunn, A. J. Preston, C. Higgs.

Farm and Dairy Produce.—Wheat, P. Allen; barley, W. R. Sharpe; maize, R. Hush; oaten hay, A. E. Bassingthwaighte; wheaten hay, M. Anderson; lucerne hay, G. Stoyles; oaten chaff, A. R. Hill; wheaten chaff, T. Sharpe. Keg salt butter: T. Kennedy, 1; E. Grigg, 2. Fresh butter: M. Anderson, 1; E. Grigg, 2. Cheese: Araluen Cheese Company. Bacon: Mrs. Daft. Ham: R. Keyte. Honey: C. Kennedy. Lard: R. Keyte. Plate fancy butter: E. Kennedy.

Leather.—Sole, kip, harness: F. S. Greenenger. Set horseshoes: L. Webb. Sulky: A. Campbell.

Vegetables.—The chief prizetakers were: G. Lin, L. Chapman, J. Chewchin, R. Keyte, Mrs. Hassall. Collection of herbs: Mrs. J. Stoyles. Potatoes: W. R. Sharpe, R. Keyte, J. Trassell. Tomatoes: W. Mather. Rhubarb: G. Stoyles. Collection vegetables: R. Keyte.

Fruit.—The chief prizetakers were: R. Hush, J. Roberts, G. A. Bassingthwaighte, L. Chapman, F. N. Ally, W. Mather.

Horses.—Pony jump: J. E. M'Kellar, 1; R. M'Carthy, 2. Boy rider: L. Byrne, 1; H. Roberts, 2. Girl rider: J. Willis. Girl rider, astride: F. Gifford. Tandem team: G. A. Bassingthwaighte. Pony ditto J. H. Gordon. Tandem race: G. Maddrell, 1; R. Turnbull, 2. Pair galloways, double harness: G. Chapman. Ditto, hack: Chapman, 1; J. M'Gee, 2. Galloway, in harness: C. Ironsides, 1; W. J. M'Kay, 2. Best turnout, horse, trap, harness: H. F. Maddrell, 1; J. C. M'Kellar, 2. Walking horse: R. G. Hassall, 1; G. A. Bassingthwaighte, 2. Lady's hackney: G. Maddrell, 1; M. Flynn, 2. Lady rider: Mrs. W. B. Henville, 1; A. M'Carthy, 2. Pony, single harness: J. Foord, 1; J. Stoyles, 2. Pair ponies: J. Foord, 1; J. H. Gordon, 2. All-round horse: W. N. Alley, 1; R. Keyte, 2. Lady harnessing competition: E. Chapman, 1; A. Sharpe, 2. Trotting horse: E. A. Boreham. Gentleman's hack, 1st: G. Feeny, 1; G. Maddrell, 2. 1st: R. G. Hassall, 1; W. N. Alley, 2. Jumping: J. Mitchell, 1 and 2.

GULGONG.

GULGONG.—The Gulgong show, which was officially opened by Mr. T. B. Rouse, president, was continued on Wednesday under very hot-weather conditions. Nevertheless the attendance was over 1500. Additional awards:—

Horses.—Pony, under 12 hands, in harness: H. J. Gudgeon's Trixy, 1; S. E. Lowe's, 2. Sulky turnout: Dr. M'Creadie, 1; J. R. Atkinson, 2. Boy rider, under 15 years: Arthur Wall, 1; Frankie Brophy, 2. Girl rider, under 15 years: Queenie Brophy, 1; Imelda Brophy, 2. For Farmers.—Spring-cart horse, to be driven: Mrs. J. Stott, 1; W. T. Paine, 2. Saddle hack, to carry 12st: J. Workman's Dick, 1; J. Workman's Charlie, 2. Farmer's sulky turnout: J. Kurtz. Business man's turnout, horse, vehicle, and harness: A. Turner, 1; A. E. Brigden, 2. Turnout, tipdray, horse, and harness: T. Kent, 1; A. Conson, 2. Hunters' prize, over fences: H. Cross, 1; B. Ryan, 2. Pair ponies, to be driven: H. Hawkins, 1; M. V. Falconer, 2. Pair buggy horses, to be driven: J. Kurtz, 1; J. Workman, 2. Equestrienne, amateurs only: Miss Laura Lowe, 1.

Farm Produce.—Finest display of agricultural products, grown within 50 miles of Gulgong: H. Cox, Eurunderee. Collection of vegetables, not less than 12 varieties: H. T. Wood. Wheat, 2 bushels: John Honeysette, 1; James Grimshaw, 2. Wheat, Manitoba, 2 bushels: James Grimshaw. Wheat, Bobs variety: H. Nott. Wheat, graded: John Honeysette. Maize, large variety, 25 cobs in box: W. T. Paine. Small variety: J. Upham, 1; A. Menchin, 2. Barley, skinless: P. Snelson. Barley, Cape: W. A. Wurth. Oats: L. Roth. Truss of hay, oaten, 56lb: E. Cross. Six sheaves oaten hay: H. Cox. Truss wheaten hay: E. Cross. Six sheaves of wheaten hay off binder: H. Cox. Truss lucerne hay: W. T. Paine. Bag oaten chaff: J. Upham. Wheaten chaff: J. Upham. Lucerne chaff: H. Cox. Four pumpkins, table: A. H. Cox. Ensilage: H. Cox. Onions: H. Cox. Tomatoes: J. Keech.

Fruit.—Apples, eating: L. Roth, 1; E. E. Pye, 2. Cooking: E. E. Pye, 1; P. Snelson, 2. Apples, six varieties: E. E. Pye, 1; P. Snelson, 2. Pears, eating: H. Cox, 1; P. Snelson, 2. Peaches, slipstones: L. Roth. Peaches, clingstones: E. E. Pye. Collection of peaches: L. Roth. Quinces: E. E. Pye. Collection of fruits: L. Roth. Collection of fruits, six of a sort: L. Roth. Plums: J. N. Spears. Collection dried fruits: G. A. Roth. Grapes: L. Roth, 6lb grapes, white sherry: L. Roth, 1; F. Wurth, 2. 6lb grapes, white muscatel: L. Roth, 1; F. Wurth, 2. Black Prince: L. Roth, 1; F. Wurth, 2. Black muscatel: L. Roth. Fineer: L. Roth, 1; F. Wurth, 2. Black sherry: L. Roth. Grapes, any other variety: L. Roth. Black Hamburgs: L. Roth. Barbarossa: L. Roth. Packed box grapes: E. E. Pye, 1; L. Roth, 2.

Prepared Fruits, Jams, Jellies, and Sauces.—Preserved bottled fruits: Miss A. Snelson, 1; Mrs. M'Intosh, 2. Jams and jellies: Mrs. M'Intosh, 1; Miss A. Snelson, 2. Piemelon jam: Miss Grimshaw. Collection of home-made pickles and sauces: Mrs. C. Lund. Tomato sauce: Miss E. Little. Three bottles tomato pickles: Mrs. J. Haley, 1; Miss T. Butler, 2.

Wines.—All the exhibits in this section were won by Messrs. L. and F. Roth.

Vehicles.—Tipdray: H. J. Gidgeon. Springcart harness, single buggy harness, and dray harness: A. Day.

The Bathurst Government Farm exhibits of agricultural produce were shown, and were much admired by the farmers. They were arranged very tastefully, and much credit was due to the officials who had charge of the exhibits. The Cullenbone exhibits also came in for much praise.

EMPIRE ESSAY.

GOULBURN BOY THE WINNER.

The Minister of Public Instruction has received from the British and Foreign Sailors' Society the results of the essay competition on the subject "Captain James Cook: his Voyages and Discoveries, and their value to the Empire, Commerce, and Christianity." This competition was open last year to school pupils throughout the British Empire under the age of 16 years, the prizes offered being artistic plaques of copper from Nelson's famous flagships, the Victory and the Foudroyant. The English adjudicators state that many of the essays reached a very high standard; that the best of them came from New South Wales, and the second best from New Zealand (South Island). The prize-winners in this State are Arthur R. W. Jones, district school, Goulburn, and Enid Molyneaux, Superior Public school, Adelong (equal).

The society again offers for competition for next year 20 plaques, six of which are reserved for Australian essayists, the subject being, "Arctic Explorers and the Benefits Arising from their Discoveries," accompanied by a map of the regions surrounding the North Pole. Competitors must be under 16 years of age on May 31. The essays, which are not to exceed 1000 words, must be written in school, without notes, text-books, or assistance from the teacher, but the map may be prepared at home. On the last page must be shown the name, age, and address of the writer, and the name of the school. The essays, which should be addressed to the Secretary, British and Foreign Sailors' Society, Passmore Edwards Sailors' Palace, 680 Commercial-road, Limehouse, London, E., must reach the society's headquarters not later than July 31.

HOBART BAND CONTESTS.

HOBART, Friday.

The band contests were concluded on Thursday night at the Barracks Reserve, when the decision of Judge Delves was announced:—

A Grade Band's Championship contest, test piece "Lortzing," first prize £175 and trophies valued at £25; second £75, third £40.—Derwent Infantry, 305 points, 1; Ballarat, 303, 2; Senior Cadets, 295, 3; Burnie and Hobart City, each 284.

Quickstep Contest, own selection, first prize £30; second £15.—Derwent Infantry, 179, 1; Ballarat, 175, 2; Hobart City, 165, 3; Senior Cadet, 163.

B Grade Quickstep Contest, first prize £20, 2nd £10.—Derwent Infantry, 288, 1; Senior Cadets, 280, 2; Hobart City, 273; Burnie, 268.

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BIRTHS.

ASHCROFT.—February 26, at George-street, Liverpool, to Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ashcroft—a daughter.

BAKER.—February 17, at Cardigan, Flood-street, Bondi, the wife of J. A. C. Baker—a son.

BARRON.—February 24, 1910, at her residence, Toothill-street, Lewisham, the wife of Duncan Barron—a son.

CANE.—February 23, at Calarie, Grafton, the wife of P. F. Cane—a son.

DENT.—February 20, 1910, at Huntingtower, Homebush, the wife of J. L. Dent, Ooma, Grenfell—a daughter.

DRANSFIELD.—March 4, at the Commercial Bank, Haymarket, the wife of H. R. Dransfield—a son.

DUNCAN.—March 1, 1910, at Loretto, Alexander-street, North Sydney, the wife of Harvey Duncan, of twin sons.

DWYER.—February 23, 1910, at the Captain Cook Hotel, Botany, the wife of William Dwyer, of a daughter (Marjorie Edith).

EDKINS.—March 3, at Bimbah, Manly, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Edkins—a daughter.

EVANS.—February 27, 1910, at Llanvyrn, Gower-street, Summer Hill, the wife of Lancelot B. Evans—a daughter (Ethel Sarah).

HANCOCK.—March 1, at Kaloora, Spofforth-street, Mosman, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hancock—a daughter.

MACKENZIE.—February 28, 1910, at Glen Innes, to Dr. and Mrs. J. Mackenzie—a son (stillborn).

MALEY.—At Wando, Spencer's-road, Mosman, the wife of C. D. Maley, of a son (stillborn).

MULDOON.—February 4, at 64 Gladstone-street, Enmore, to Mr. and Mrs. John Muldoon—a daughter.

O'REILLY.—February 28, at Araluen, Lord-street, Roseville, to Mr. and Mrs. H. D'Arcy O'Reilly—a daughter (Gwendoline Lillian).

OWEN (nee Melville).—February 26, at Northumbria, Dover-street, Summer Hill, the wife of T. A. Owen, of a son.

ROBINSON.—February 25, at Nurse Saunderson-Brown's Private Hospital, 15 Woolcott-street, Darlinghurst, to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Robinson—a daughter.

SEARL.—February 20, at Bay View Hill, Botany, to Mr. and Mrs. William D. Searl—a daughter.

STEWART.—March 2, 1910, at Kobding, Osborne-road, Manly, the wife of R. O. Stewart—a daughter.

STONE.—February 21, at Seven Oaks, Bowmer-street, Banksia, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Stone—a son.

THOMSON.—February 24, at her residence, Barrenjella, Burrier, Shoalhaven, the wife of T. M. Thomson, of a son.

WELDON.—March 1, 1910, at her residence, Elsmeah, Middle Harbour-road, Lindfield, the wife of Cecil E. Weldon—a son.

WHERRETT.—February 22, at Lescombe, Dulwich Hill, the wife of E. A. Wherrett, M.B., Ch.M.—a son.

MARRIAGES.

BROAD—SPELLACY.—January 29, 1910, at St. Patrick's Church, Sydney, by the Rev. Father Piquet, Benjamin, only son of Benjamin Broad, Mardy, Glan, S.W. England, to Elizabeth (Lill), youngest daughter of Mrs. Catherine Spellacy, Glebe Point, Sydney.

BULLOCK—CARNEY.—January 5, at St. John's Church, Milson's Point, by the Rev. Newbey Fraser, Wallace, second son of Mr. Walter Bullock, to Hannah, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Carney, of Alfred-street, Milson's Point.

BUTLER—RUBIE.—January 31, 1910, at St. Fiacre's Church, Leichhardt, by the Rev. Father O'Reilly, Edward Louis, eldest son of M. L. Butler, M.D., to Dorothea V. (Dora), only daughter of P. and J. C. Rubie.

CALVERT—FARLEIGH.—February 9, at the Methodist Church, Wollongong-road, Arncliffe, by the Rev. W. H. Beale, John David, eldest son of Mr. J. Calvert, of Forest-road, Arncliffe, and formerly of Forest Lodge, to Alice Ruby, eldest daughter of the Hon. J. G. Farleigh, Esq., M.L.C., of Mimosa, Dowling-street, Arncliffe.

CROFT—MICHELL.—February 2, 1910, at the Methodist Church, Walker-street, North Sydney, by the Rev. W. Woolls Rutledge, Harrie Cuthbert, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Croft, Mosman, to Gertrude Emily, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Michell, North Sydney.

DELVES—WALSH.—February 2, at St. Brendan's, Annandale, by the Rev. Father Rohan, Charles T., second son of R. Delves, Esq., of Paddington, to Agnes, youngest daughter of the late M. Walsh, of Bathurst. Bathurst and Melbourne papers please copy.

DONALDSON—ROSSITER.—February 5, 1910, at Holy Trinity Church, Dulwich Hill, by Rev. W. Martin, B.A., Albert Melville, second son of John M. Donaldson, of Stanmore, to Leila Vivienne, younger daughter of William J. Rossiter, of Lewisham. At home, 144 Denison-road, Lewisham, 12th and 19th March.

GARNSEY—GOSLING.—January 29, at St. Paul's, Waitara, by the Rev. F. J. Albery, M.A., George Leonard, youngest son of the late Rev. C. F. Garnsey, of Christ Church, Sydney, to Lilian, youngest daughter of the late John Raymond Gosling, of Cheverella, Waverley.

HICKEY—RYAN.—January 26, at St. Mary's Cathedral, by Rev. Father Toomey, William Joseph Hickey, son of W. J. Hickey, of Sydney, to Alice Marie Ryan, the only daughter of the late J. C. Ryan, of Sydney.

HOWARD—ROGERS.—February 2, 1910, at SS. Michael and John's Cathedral, Bathurst, by the Rev. E. J. Flanagan, James Gordon, fifth son of T. J. Howard, of Holmesville Station, Glassbon, to Rosalie Mary, youngest daughter of James Rogers, of Bathurst (late of Forbes).

IDDLES—MARTIN.—February 15, by Rev. C. E. James, at St. Enoch's Presbyterian Church, Newtown, Oswald Blake, second son of John Iddles, to Myra Lillian, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Martin, of Marrickville.

KELMAN—CHRISTIE.—February 16, 1910, at St. Philip's Church, by the Rev. Canon Bellingham, M.A., William Nivison Kelman, eldest son of the late John Busby Kelman, of Ventnor, Tamworth, to Beatrice Alice, second daughter of the late Lieut.-Colonel William Beaver Blayney Christie, of the New South Wales Staff, and formerly of 80th Regiment Foot, India.

MORGAN—McLEOD.—January 27, 1910, at the residence of the bride's parents, Bonar, Liverpool-road, Summer Hill, by the Rev. Dr. Merrington, Alfred Joseph, fifth son of Michael Thomas Morgan, of Arncliffe, to Margaret, the eldest daughter of Frank McLeod.

MORIARTY—MORIARTY.—February 8, at St. Mary's Cathedral, by Rev. J. Meany, Daniel, eldest son of John and Ellen Moriarty, of Lewisham, to May, daughter of late Michael and Margaret Moriarty, of Footscray, Melbourne.

SWAN—JOHNSTON.—March 2, at St. Mark's, Aberdeen, by the Rev. P. C. Wilson, Arthur D. Swan, of Edensor Park, Liverpool, to Elaine, youngest daughter of the late T. A. Johnson, of Clydesdale, Singleton.

SYKES—BRADY.—February 5, 1910, at St. Mary's Cathedral, by Rev. W. Barry, Henry J., only son of the late Frederick William Sykes, to Irene May, eldest daughter of Charles Brady, G.P.O., N.S.W.

TROTTER—ELPHINSTON.—January 26 (Anniversary Day), at Petersham Presbyterian Church, by Rev. Dr. Merrington, James C., second son of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Trotter, of Eastwood, to Agnes Beatrice, third daughter of Mrs. E. Elphinston, of Petersham. Present address, Eastwood. At home first Thursday.

WOOD—KNIGHT.—January 26, 1910, at St. Thomas' Church of England, Rozelle, by the Rev. Luke Parr, James Bailey, second son of the late Mr. Francis Wood, Troon, Scotland, to Belle, second daughter of Mrs. A. Knight, Darling-street, Rozelle, Sydney. Address, Railway-street, Epping.

DEATHS.

ANDERSON.—March 4, at her residence, Durham Hall, Albion-street, Moore Park, Mary Jean, the beloved wife of Charles Anderson, in her 67th year.

ATTWOOD.—March 1, 1910, at her residence, Rosemoyne, 5 Merton-street, Stanmore, Mary Anne, beloved wife of Joseph Attwood, late stationmaster of St. Peters.

BAILEY.—March 4, 1910, James Bailey, aged 57 years, after a long and painful illness.

COLTON.—February 26, at the Royal Alexandra Children's Hospital, of meningitis, Norman John Henry, only beloved son of John and Ada Colton, aged 3 years and 5 months. Our bud in heaven.

CORNELL.—February 27, 1910, Ethel Violet, the dearly beloved wife of F. W. Cornell, of Grey-street, Carlton, aged 29 years.

CORNELL.—February 27, Ethel Violet, dearly beloved daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Cornell, aged 29 years.

DAVIS.—March 4, 1910, at Woodlands, Belgrave-street, Manly, Maria Davis, relict of the late C. W. Davis, and the beloved mother of Mrs. C. Foggon, aged 68 years.

FARAM.—March 1, at Gisborne, New Zealand, Jessie, beloved wife of Frederick T. Faram, and second daughter of the late John F. Heighway.

FOX.—February 13, 1910, James, eldest son of Mrs. James Fox, of Hill End, killed at Breeza.

FULLER.—February 21, 1910, at her parents' residence, Bradley-street, Goulburn, Constance Ethel, infant daughter of George and Edith Fuller.

HART.—March 4, 1910, at his son's, George Hart, residence, Wentworth-street, Parramatta, William Hart, senior, native of Trowbridge, Wiltshire, England, aged 80 years.

HILLIARD.—February 28, Jack Hilliard, late of Croydon, aged 36, at Lindfield. Interred on Wednesday at Gordon.

SAPPEY.—March 1, 1910, John F. G. Sappey, aged 27 years, fourth son of the late August Sappey, storekeeper, Perthville, near Bathurst, and Elizabeth Sappey, Norma, 15A Crystal-street, Petersham. Bathurst papers please copy.

SOMMER.—February 18, 1910, at his late residence, 3 Little Dowling-street, Paddington, John Frederick, beloved husband of Eliza Sommer, age 62 years. At rest. Native of Germany.

THOMPSON.—February 23, at Dunlop Station (accidentally drowned), Malbon Windeyer, youngest son of the late Richard Windeyer Thompson, Solicitor, West Maitland.

THORBURN.—January 16, at Rockhampton, Charles Robert Thorburn, suddenly, of heart failure, dyer, late of Oxford-street, Paddington, aged 43 years. Inserted by his son, William.

WEST.—March 3, at Mandurama, Thos. Henry (Tim), eldest son of the late S. H. and Elizabeth West, late of Cowra, aged 48 years.

WHITE.—January 17, at Auckland, N.Z., of pneumonia, Charles G. G., third son of Mrs. E. J. and the late Frederick White, of 21 Campbell-street, Milson's Point, aged 24 years. At rest.

IN MEMORIAM.

BERGIN.—In loving memory of Mary Elizabeth Bergin, who departed this life March 6, 1909, aged 30 years. Inserted by her dear friend, E.M., Westport, N.Z.

BOULTON.—In sad but loving memory of our dear son and brother, William Hugh Boulton, who departed this life, March 5, 1906, aged 19 years and 6 months. Sweet Jesus, have mercy on his soul. Inserted by his loving father, mother, brother, and sisters. Late of Trafalgar-street, Annandale.

The midnight stars are shining
Around his lonely grave,
Where our loved one lay sleeping,
No earthly power could save.

BOWE.—In sad and loving memory of my dear husband, Lawrence Bowe, who departed this life March 5, 1907. Inserted by his fond wife and son, C. Bowe.

BYRNE.—In sad but loving memory of our dear father, Thomas Byrne, who departed this life, March 5, 1909, aged 85 years. May his soul rest in peace. Inserted by his loving daughter and son-in-law, M. A. and D. McDonald.

CONLON.—In fond and loving memory of Ellen Teresa Conlon, who died March 5, 1902. A fond wife and loving mother. Inserted by M. J. Conlon and family.

CONNORS.—In sad but loving memory of our dear mother, Eliza Connors, who died March 5th, 1904, at her residence, No. 5 Creek-street, Forest Lodge, aged 65 years.

Six sad years, and still we miss her;
Never will her memory fade;
Sweetest thoughts shall always linger
Around the place where mother's laid.

Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Louisa and William Meaney.

CRONAN.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our dear father, J. Cronan, who was accidentally killed March 6, 1908.

Your memory is as dear to-day
As in the hour you passed away.

Inserted by his loving wife and children.

DENNEHY.—In loving memory of my dearly beloved husband, who departed this life March 6, 1908.

Two years have passed; his face still beams
In all our thoughts and nightly dreams,
His memory is as dear to-day
As in the hour he passed away.

Inserted by his loving wife and child, Margaret and William Dennehy.

DENNEHY.—In sad but loving memory of my dearly beloved brother, Daniel, who was killed on March 6, 1908, aged 27 years and 5 months. Inserted by his loving brother and sister-in-law, Frederick and Kate Dennehy.

DENNEHY.—In sad but ever-loving memory of my dearly beloved brother, Daniel, who was killed March 6, 1908, aged 27 years. Loved by all who knew him. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by his loving brother and sister-in-law, Joe and Annie Dennehy.

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DENNEHY.—In loving memory of our dear son and our dear brother, Daniel, who was killed March 6, aged 27 years and 5 months. Inserted by his loving father and mother, and brothers, William and George.

DONLEY.—In sad and loving memory of our dearly beloved husband and father, Thomas Donley, who departed this life March 5, 1909, aged 73. Leaves may wither, but memory never. Inserted by his loving wife and family.

DUFFY.—In sad and loving memory of my dear husband and our father, James, who departed this life March 5, 1906. Inserted by his loving wife Sarah, and children, James, Joseph, Stella, Charles, Gaven, Duffy. At rest.

DUNN.—To the memory of my dear husband and our dear father, Edward J. Dunn, who entered into eternal rest, at Sylvania, George's River, on March 5, 1898. Ever loved by his affectionate wife and family. Barrington, Marrickville.

GALLARD.—In loving memory of my dear wife and our dear mother, Susannah Martha Gallard, who passed peacefully away, at Woodbine, March 4, 1907. Inserted by her loving husband, Frank Gallard, and family.

As the ivy clings to the oak,
So does our memory cling to thee.

GALVIN.—In loving memory of my dearly-loved aunt, who departed this life March 5th, 1908, aged 68 years. R.I.P.

God saw when her footsteps faltered,
When her heart grew weary and weak,
He bade her rest.
Dear is the grave where she is laid;
Sweet is the memory that never will fade.
Roses may wither, flowers may die,
If others forget thee, never will I.

Inserted by her loving niece, Annie Grono.

GALVIN.—In sad but loving memory of our dear aunt, Mary Galvin, who departed this life 5th March, 1908, aged 68 years. R.I.P.

Two years have passed, our hearts still sore,
As time goes on we miss her more.
Her loving smile, her welcome face;
There's none can fill her vacant place.

Inserted by Florence and Mrs. Doran.

GODDARD.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our dear dadda, William Leslie Goddard, who fell asleep March 5th, 1906, aged 23 years. Inserted by his loving wife, May, and children, Jack and Maisie.

HARTE.—In loving memory of Septimus Joseph Harte, died March 5, 1901. My Jesus, mercy.

HENSLEY.—In loving memory of my dear husband and father, Charles W. Hensley, who departed this life, March 6, 1907. Inserted by his loving wife and family. At rest.

HENSLEY.—In sad but loving memory of our dear father, Charles Winslow Hensley, who departed this life, March 6, 1907. Inserted by his loving son and daughter-in-law, Tom and Nell Hensley.

HOOD.—In memory of William Henry Hood, who passed away on March 5, 1908. Inserted by his broken-hearted mother, Ellen Hood.

KADWELL.—In sad but loving remembrance of my dear wife and our dear mother and grandmother, Susan Kadwell, who departed this life on March 5, 1908. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by her loving husband, son, and daughter-in-law, Harry and Maud Kadwell, and grandchildren, Harry, George, Eileen.

KADWELL.—In sad but loving remembrance of our dear mother, Susan Kadwell, who departed this life March 5, 1908. Deeply mourned, sadly missed. Inserted by her loving children, Frederick, James, Nora, and Bessie.

LIPSCOMBE.—In sad and loving memory of my beloved daughters and our sisters, Elvie Violet and Ivy Maude, who were accidentally drowned in the Wollondilly River, Goulburn, on March 5, 1905, aged 11 and 8 years respectively.

Oh, happy souls, we would not wish them here,
Though still we mourn their loss, and hold them dear.
God has spared them from all grief and pain.
Our sad loss is now their joyful gain.
For in the blessed land of light and love
Their mother hath joined them in those realms above.

Inserted by their sad and loving father, Matthew Lipscombe, and sister Ethel and brother Mattie.

MYERS.—In sad and loving memory of my beloved husband, Sidney, who died March 5th, 1908. Rest, my loved one, until the day break and the shadows flee away. Inserted by his sorrowing wife, Alice.

MYERS.—In sad and loving memory of our dear son, Sid., who died 5th March, 1908. Sleep on, beloved one, we shall meet again. Inserted by his loving parents, M. and J. Myers.

MYERS.—In fond remembrance of our dear brother, Sid., who died 5th March, 1908. One less at home; one more in heaven. Inserted by his loving sister and brother-in-law, M. and F. Irodale.

MYERS.—In sad and loving remembrance of our beloved boy, Sid., who died 5th March, 1908. A loving and trusting heart, sadly missed. Inserted by his affectionate father and mother in law, M. and S. De Luce.

MYERS.—In loving but sad remembrance of our beloved brother, Sid., who died 5th March, 1908. A loving tribute to one of the kindest and best of men. Inserted by his sisters-in-law, Brightie, Leath, and Vera De Luce.

MYERS.—In affectionate memory of Sid., died March 5, 1908. Elsie.

MYERS.—A tribute of remembrance to a noble heart at rest, who departed this life March 5, 1908. From old friends, J. and M. Woodham.

PATTISON.—In sad but ever-loving memory of our dear husband and father, Arthur Harry, who departed this life on March 5, 1909, at Nagle-street, Liverpool. Inserted by his loving wife, daughter, and son-in-law, Nellie and Charlie Pattison.

PIGRAM.—In loving memory of my dear wife and mother, Ellen Pigram, who departed this life on March 5, 1909.

Your end came sudden, wife and mother, dear,
It made us weep and sigh;
And, oh, it is so hard to think
We could not say good-bye.
God called you home; it was His will,
But in our hearts she is living still.
Her memory is as dear to-day
As on the day she passed away.

Inserted by her loving husband and daughter and son-in-law.

PIGRAM.—In loving memory of my dear daughter and sister, Ellen Pigram, who died March 5, 1909. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by her loving mother, sisters, and brother, Mrs. Riley and family.

PIGRAM.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Ellen Pigram, who passed away March 5, 1909. Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, Will and Bella, and grandchildren, Mattie and Georgie Pigram. Dead, but not forgotten.

PURNELL.—In sad but loving memory of my dearly beloved husband, Edgar Arthur Purnell, who departed this life March 5, 1909. As the ivy clings to the oak, dear Arthur, so our memory still clings to thee. Inserted by his loving wife and children.

PURNELL.—In sad and loving memory of our dear son and brother, Arthur, who passed away March 5, 1909. Inserted by his loving mother and sister Violet.

ROBERTSON.—In sad but loving memory of my dear wife and our dear mother, Emily, who departed this life March 5, 1908. Inserted by her loving husband, William, and dear children, Bertha, Linda, and Clarrie.

ROBERTSON.—In loving memory of our dear daughter and sister, who departed this life March 5, 1908. At rest. Inserted by her loving mother and father, sisters and brothers, Lou, Amy, May, and Ernest Cotterell.

SINGLETON.—In loving memory of my dear mother, who died at Homebush on March 5, 1871. Inserted by her loving daughter, Mary McKinley. R.I.P.

TOOMEY.—In loving memory of our dear daughter, Margaret Ellen, who departed this life March 6, 1891, aged 21 years. Inserted by her loving parents, David and Elizabeth Robson.

WALKER.—In sad but loving memory of our dear brother, Hamilton Andrew Walker, who departed this life March 6, 1909.

Your call came sudden, brother dear,
It made us weep and sigh;
But, oh it was so sad to think
We could not say good-bye.

Inserted by his loving brother and sister-in-law, Nathaniel and Rose Walker.

WALSH.—In loving memory of my dear sister Mary Ann Walsh, who departed this life on March 3, 1887, at her residence, 16 Henderson-road, Alexandria. May her soul rest in peace. Inserted by her loving brother, William Walsh.

WILLIAMS.—In sad and loving memory of our dearly beloved son, James Henry Williams, who departed this life on March 5, after an operation at Sydney Hospital, aged 21 years.

It's just two years ago to-day
Since our dear son passed away;
No matter how we pray, no matter how we call,
There's nothing left to answer but his photo on the wall.
All his loved stood around him
To bid him a last farewell,
His words of comfort did he leave
To those he loved so well.
Your end came sudden, Jimmy, dear,
It made us weep and sigh;
But, oh, it was so joyful to think
We all could say "good-bye."
Peace, perfect Peace.

Inserted by his loving father and mother.

WILLIAMS.—In loving remembrance of our dear brother, James Henry, who departed this life on March 5, 1908, aged 21 years.

Two years have passed, our hearts are sore,
As time goes on we miss him more;
His loving smile, his welcome face,
There's none can fill dear Jim's place.

Inserted by his loving sister and brother-in-law and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Matilda Martin.

WILLIAMS.—In loving memory of our dearly beloved brother, James Henry, who departed this life on March 5, 1908, aged 21 years.

We often sit and think of you when we are all alone,
For memory is the only friend that grief can call its own.

Inserted by his loving brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Williams.

WILLIAMS.—In sad and loving memory of my dear brother, who departed this life on March 5, 1908, aged 21 years.

The flowers may wither and decay,
But the memory of your dear, kind face will never fade away.

Inserted by his loving brother, Edward Williams.

WILLIAMS.—In fond and loving memory of our dearly beloved brother, Jim, who passed away on March 5, 1908, aged 21 years.

Short and sudden was the call
Of him, so dearly loved by all;
His memory still is ever dear,
For oft we shed a silent tear.

Inserted by his loving brothers and sisters, Charles, Sid, Lillie, and Elsie.

WILLIAMS.—In loving memory of our dear brother, James Henry, who departed this life on March 5, 1908, aged 21 years.

He lives with us in memory still,
And will for evermore.

Inserted by his loving sisters, Mrs. Harrington and Mrs. Morris.

WILLIAMS.—In loving memory of our dear brother, Jim, who departed this life March 5, 1908, aged 20 years. Leaves may wither, but memory never. Inserted by his loving brother and sister-in-law, Alf and Lily Williams.

WHITE.—In loving memory of our dear and only son, George William, who sweetly fell asleep in Jesus at his parents' residence, Tarana, Alice-street, Newtown, on March 6, 1896.

God called him home, it was His will,
But in our hearts he is living still.
His memory is as dear to-day
As in the hour he passed away.

Inserted by his loving parents, William and Emma White.

RETURN THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. T. VERNEY, jun., desire to return their sincere THANKS to all friends who sent them wreaths, telegrams, and letters, and so kindly sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement.

Mrs. P. KEANE and FAMILY, Cootamundra, desire to return their sincere THANKS to their many kind friends for cards, letters, telegrams, and expressions of sympathy during their late sad bereavement.

Mrs. AGNES DOBBIE wishes to THANK Dr. G. Hall Bauermann, Mr. John Howie, Mr. Warburton, and the many kind friends of her late husband for kindness during her sad and recent bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. W. WATT, of Torwood, Buffalo-road, Ryde, desire to return their sincere THANKS to their many kind friends for telegrams, letters, cards, floral tributes, and other forms of sympathy received by them during their recent sad bereavement; and also wish to publicly THANK the doctors and nurses of Sydney Hospital for the kind attention bestowed on their beloved son Robert.

Mr. and Mrs. A. GOW, of Ettrick, Elliott-street, Balmain, desire to return their sincere THANKS to their many friends for the kind expressions of sympathy received by them during their recent sad bereavement caused by the sudden death of their grandson, Robert Alexander Watt.

Mr. C. NICHOLS and DAUGHTER, Ida May, of 8 Willoughby street, Milson's Point, desire to return their sincere THANKS to their many kind friends for cards, letters, telegrams, and floral contributions, and expressions of sympathy during their late sad bereavement; and also the officers, staff, and employees of the North Shore Gas Company.

Mr. and Mrs. THOMAS McMAHON and SONS wish to convey heartfelt GRATITUDE to the Franciscan Fathers, the Sisters of Charity, Dr. Collins, Dr. Lane Mullens, the Pupils of Monte Oliveto, and each and all of the other many kind friends who personally sympathised with or sent messages of condolence to them in their great sorrow—the death of their late little darling Mollie. "Suffer little children to come unto Me, for of such is the Kingdom of God."

Mr. ROLAND RIDDELL and FAMILY wish to return their sincere THANKS to the Medical Staff and Nurses of D2 Ward, Prince Alfred Hospital, and to their many friends for kind expressions of sympathy and floral tributes in their recent sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. COLTON, of Zetland Estate, and Members of the FAMILY wish to convey sincere THANKS to the Doctors and Nursing Staff of the Royal Alexandra Children's Hospital, Camperdown, for their kindness and constant care and attention, so lovingly bestowed on their little son, Norman; also Dr. Cooley and Rev. J. Beckenham, friends attending the funeral, and those who so kindly expressed their sympathy in our sad bereavement.

Mr. SAMUEL JOHNSON and FAMILY desire to return their sincere THANKS to Rev. Father Collins, Dr. A. M. Johnson, the employees of Joe Gardiner's, Irish National Foresters, Alexandria Kia-Ora Club, and wish to specially mention the kind and grateful assistance rendered by Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Wiley. We also wish to THANK our numerous relatives and neighbours and friends for their telegrams, letters, cards, and floral tributes in our recent sad bereavement by the loss of a dutiful and faithful wife and a good and loving and never-to-be-forgotten mother.

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The DAUGHTERS and SONS of the late CATHERINE JANE SUMMERFIELD desire to return their sincere THANKS to Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton and their employees of the West End Steam Laundry, to the employees of J. S. Robinson, to the employees of McMurtrie's boot factory, also to all kind friends and neighbours who sent wreaths, letters; also to Dr. Gwynne Hughes, also to Mrs. Bowden, Mrs. McKinley, for their kindness in their recent sad bereavement of our dear mother.

The Members of the FAMILY of the late Mrs. A. ALEXANDER desire to return their sincere THANKS to their many kind friends for cards, letters, floral contributions, and expressions of sympathy during their late sad bereavement, especially Dr. Langton, Fathers O'Regan and Sheridan, and matron of the Homoeopathic Hospital.

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OUR NATIONAL ARCHIVES.

Lord Acton, in his famous introductory lecture at the University of Cambridge, told his fellow-students, as he called his pupils, that historians were still at the beginning of the documentary age. History, he said, was destined to become independent of historians, and learning to develop at the expense of writing. Inexpert readers will retain their opinion of the share which the personality and skill of an historian is likely to play in the future. Lord Acton himself is proof of the illuminating influence of a writer who is master at once of a definite set of opinions and of a lucid forcible style. There are many readers for his letters and essays, very few for the tabulated list of events compiled by his disciples at his direction. But there was abundant evidence for his first assertion that the present is the age of documents. During the last half-century the countries of the world have begun to open their archives and to invite investigators to scrutinise what were hitherto regarded as secrets of State. When Hallam wrote his chapter on James II. he had to content himself with the reports made available in France. A writer on the same subject now has open to him the State papers of Rome and the Hague, of Berlin and Vienna, and many at Madrid. Lord Acton cites the case of the Vatican archives, not by any means the largest, which, when they were sent to France, filled 3239 cases. It is no wonder that the older historians have admitted that scarcely any fraction of any period has been treated exhaustively, and that the best master is quickly distanced by the pupil with better resources. The increasing importance which is now attached to the careful study of documents is proved by the growth of a special literature on the subject, and by the attention paid by the Governments of Europe and America to their national collections.

In this matter, as in so many others connected with research, it appears that the French and Germans are much further advanced than the English. A writer in the current number of the "Quarterly Review" speaks of the existence abroad of a cult known as the "Science of Archives" or "Archive-economy," blessed word, which reminds us of the German equivalent for our "study of classical literature." France especially has become famous for its school of documents, at which many English students have gained a liberal education in historical research. From this school has come a body of officials who have made smooth the path of the historian by their knowledge and by their system, and who are responsible for the high reputation of their countrymen, whether working at the seats of classical learning at Athens and at Rome or as investigators of any of the auxiliary branches of modern history. British historians still regard the French with envy and gratitude. They envy them for their facilities, they thank them for the assistance which they give to English workers abroad. At home they suffer under many disadvantages, of which the most conspicuous are the want of an inventory to public and private documents and the absence of a central storehouse. Of late years many improvements have been effected, of which perhaps the greatest is the development of a sense of the possible value of every piece of evidence. But students lament that the neglect of fifty years cannot be atoned for in fifteen. There is still much to be done, and there still exists enough of the old English dislike of officials, and half-concealed contempt for what is not obviously practical, to prevent the scholarly tribe from doing it.

Australians can afford to watch their struggles with sympathy now that they have at their disposal the vast and priceless collections in the Mitchell Library. We have had to wait long enough for the opening of the Mitchell building to be able to appreciate the English complaint of official neglect. After Tuesday next it is to be hoped that there will be no further excuse for grumbling on that score. The State will have provided a building in many ways worthy of the treasures which it is to contain. The books, papers, and documents have been tended by a staff of experts competent to their work, proud of their library, and determined that no effort on their part should be wanting to second the energy of its founder. The greatness of the collection has been proclaimed many times, and has been attested by everyone qualified to speak of it. Mr. Mitchell had by a happy conjunction a high degree of patriotism and knowledge united to the enthusiasm and more than the normal audacity of the collector. The result of his efforts is that students of Australian history, or of anything relevant to it, have an opportunity such as is possessed by no other people in the world. What that means to Australia can be measured only by the ability of our people to use it. It is a commonplace to speak of the advantage of the study of history in broadening the understanding and ennobling the character by companionship with the great men of the past. But it has to be qualified by the admission that events are so complicated that the history of one country can seldom furnish a guide to the statesmen of another. There are few things more misleading than the application to one set of political struggles of terms of praise and abuse which grew up in another. But there can be scarcely any qualification to a statement of the value of a knowledge of the history of one's own country. To a student of Irish politics it is very little use to reflect on the agrarian troubles of Greece or Rome or Palestine. What he wants is a knowledge of Irish history and Irish conditions.

For the same reason the Australian who wishes to understand his own political conditions must know the history of his country. In this continent, as almost everywhere else, the main cause of political divisions is revealed in the history of our land settlement, in the efforts of the early Governors to settle their colony at all costs, and of the later Parliaments to undo the mistakes of the past with as little injustice as possible. The Mitchell Library will supply the historian who has this object before him with the means of which he has been without until now. In its documents, public and private, he will learn how his fellow-citizens have borne testimony against themselves, and "may be studied in their private correspondence and sentenced in their own confession." But the value of the library will best be estimated by those to whom knowledge is its own reward, and the finest entertainment the search for a lost romance. Such students will find cause to wonder more and more why Australia has given less material to writers of the historical novel than any other offshoot of Great Britain. In the Mitchell Library they will have proof that our early history has abundant wealth of romance, public and private, social and official. Of these different classes they will discover through investigation that the social is the most promising. Since we have had no war we must be behind Canada and South Africa in the glamour of our official history. But we are in no way behind them in the stories of the adventures of the early pioneers, who waged a war with nature, at times desperate, but finally successful, and who were accustomed to communicate their impressions to their friends in England. It is mainly because of the interest of such stories that there seems to be an especial inducement to the holders of old family documents to add them to the Mitchell collection. By so doing they can ensure the preservation of these, the best evidence of the vigour, the courage and the endurance of their parent stock, and can make the Mitchell Library complete as a repository of Australian history.

THE SYDNEY THAT SHOULD BE.

The recent remarks of Mr. J. F. Hennessy, in his address before the Institute of Architects, are welcome in a public sense, in so far as they have regard to the improvement of Sydney. This is a matter in which the architects, of all people, are qualified to offer opinions of value, and when the essential recommendations of the City Improvement Commission receive endorsement among them a very strong justification is furnished for urging that the report of that commission should not be allowed to pass simply as a tale that is told. There is not a little danger that this may be so. We are a most excellent people in finding out what ought to be done in quite a variety of ways, but it still remains for us to experience the same feeling of excellence in the doing of these things. "The Athenians know what ought to be done; but the Lacedemonians do it." The report which the City Improvement Commission presented was luminous with recommendations. Some of the recommendations might call for modification; but on the whole they foreshadowed a Sydney convenient, sanitary, and beautiful in a high degree. The recommendations carried into effect would give our chief Pacific city rank amongst the foremost cities of the world. That Sydney should realise to the full all her possibilities, we think, has come to be a conscious aspiration among not only her immediate citizens, but also among a growing section of the people of the State. As Mr. Hennessy quite accurately said, "The spirit of nationhood, the development of higher education and of travel, have fostered in our citizens a feeling of civic pride and a desire to beautify this dear old Sydney of ours." That growing civic pride is a fine asset which we should endeavour by assiduous cultivation to enhance indefinitely. When every resident of Sydney begins to feel in a definite way that he is a citizen of no mean city, we may hope for much greater things than now seem feasible. That so large a proportion of the population of the State is massed in Sydney is perhaps to be deplored. But we may leave the adjustment of that question, in so far as it may be adjustable, to the statesman guided by the economist. No matter what changes of policy time may bring, we still cannot get away from the position that Sydney is destined to be, in point of size, one of the very great cities of the world. It is only lately, perhaps, that the full realisation of this destiny has come upon us in any very general way. But, now realising it, we should be prepared to lay our plans broadly, boldly, and with full confidence that the future will bring its justification.

It begins to be doubtful, however, whether the problems presented by such a rapidly-growing metropolis as Sydney can be grappled with in really statesmanlike fashion until we have some form of Greater Sydney government. The control of the water and tram services, for instance, cannot pass to municipal hands until there is one general metropolitan authority to deal with such common utilities. No doubt the controversies of a little while back had a genuinely educative effect upon the public mind. They brought into view some of the difficulties and disadvantages apparently inseparable from a centralised system of municipal government which obliterated all purely local control. Whether the case made out against municipal unification was conclusive it is not our present purpose to inquire. We need only note that the issue is not of necessity between one central council and many local councils, but can be as between a Greater Sydney unified and a Greater Sydney federalised, the latter condition implying that the suburbs, while still retaining control of purely local affairs, will delegate to a central authority power to manage affairs of common interest and service throughout the metropolitan area. Until this reform in municipal government is effected we cannot see how the recommendations of the Improvement Commission can have other than a partial application. There can be no guarantee of essential uniformity, and, more than that, there cannot be the credit upon which can be raised the large sums of money necessary to finance the larger and more important proposals. The demonstrable fact, therefore, that the comprehensive and systematic improvement of Sydney, in very large measure, is dependent upon the inauguration of a suitable scheme of Greater Sydney government should determine citizens not to let this question sink into the background. It is all very well to expect the State to shoulder the financial responsibilities which are involved; but while the State must see to the efficiency of the services which it controls, it is quite too much to expect that it can finance a general improvement scheme. For one thing, the State has all it can do to look after works of a national character, and therefore metropolitan works must be the responsibility of the people who dwell in the metropolitan area. The city cannot ask the country to share the expense of providing parks and fine avenues, of cutting out slums and introducing housing reforms, and all the rest of it. But, as we have been saying, it is impossible for Sydney to be sufficient unto itself until its scattered forces are organised for common ends.

While we wait for the Greater Sydney scheme to take shape, however, we can agree with the Lord Mayor, that there is much work immediately to hand within the city proper which may be undertaken. The widening of certain streets is especially important, and while we may note with pleasure the cutting out of one notorious slum near the railway station, this is only a beginning. In the area over which the City Council now exercises municipal sway there are several areas which have arrived at the slum stage, and still other areas which are making sure progress in that direction. Now the slum is the breeding ground of most of what is ugly and unhealthy in city life. Not only does it receive the undesirable types, but it manufactures them. Tolerance of the existence of slums is quite incompatible with the best modern ideas of city government. Even London, which is like to no other cities in the complexity and magnitude of its problems and the appalling extent of its under-world, is gradually but surely evolving order and cleanliness and beauty out of the welter of filth and ugliness and degradation which is the bequest of more careless generations. In Europe especially, but in the United States also in no small measure, city improvement, as dictated by considerations of beauty and health, has become in recent years almost a municipal passion. Unlike most of the Continental and American cities, however, Sydney has Nature all favourable. Only the mistakes of men call for redress. But, as the Lord Mayor very truly said the other day, the longer the work of systematic improvement is delayed the more costly and difficult it will be. We have here the strongest possible argument for not further delaying. The city should proceed at once with such work as is financially within its competency. The Rocks area, which to-day is a standing reproach to the Government, should be handed over to the city, and treated in harmony with a general scheme. And perhaps before this work is through metropolitan opinion may have been educated up to the conception of a central municipal government, with greatly enhanced financial capacity, and proportionately enlarged legislative and administrative powers and responsibilities.

To-day's "Herald."—The "Herald" to-day consists of 28 pages. Sir Henry Lucy (page 7), after some remarks on the political situation as disclosed at the polls, passes on to discuss the lightening of election and other gatherings by the interposition of "A Voice," which is the press description of an unknown heckler. The record surgical fee for the operation on the late King Leopold and the effort of Lord Lonsdale to pierce the Canadian north close his budget. The writer of a Woman's Letter, on the same page, deals with the Chapel Royal services, and, with a transition beyond the art of mere man, the spring toques. Our special correspondent in London (page 7) sends us an appreciation of that much-abused personage, "Jack" Fisher, now Lord Fisher of Kilverstone, the late head of the Admiralty. And in a parallel column appears a sketch of Cockatoo Dockyard, our one and only great Australian State engineering shop, where an immense amount of naval and land work is yearly turned out. On page 5 will be found an interesting account of the vast picturesque valley of the Burragorang, a region with a future as well as a past, both of which aspects our contributor well depicts. On page 9 appears the second of Colonel Foster's articles reviewing the essential points of Lord Kitchener's report on military reorganisation in Australia. Our mining reporter discusses (page 10) the problem of the present period in mining development, whether mines shall continue to be worked each patch as a separate entity or as a group or combination of mines. The case in point is the group of Cobar copper mines, which he declares ripe for a careful and bold amalgamation.

Naval College Site.—All things considered, the authorities have decided that Middle Head is preferable to Ashton Park as the site for the proposed Naval College. The advisors to the Minister for Defence included Admiral Poore, who gave the matter his most careful consideration, and decided that Middle Head was the best site. Mr. Cook is prepared to adopt this recommendation. He says the site is excellently adapted for the purposes of a naval college. There is area sufficient for making drill and play grounds. It is within easy access of the smooth water on the north and south shores of Middle Harbour, which afford every facility for the erection of boathouses, swimming baths, etc. In addition to its healthy position, this site will command a view of the incoming and outgoing shipping, and in this way will be an excellent object lesson for the cadets. The site is also advantageous because of being near the dockyard and the men-o'-war anchorages. There is a sum of £40,000 being set aside when the division of the Dreadnought fund was decided upon.

Gift to Darlington.—The municipal council of Darlington was, at its last meeting, the recipient of a drinking fountain and water-trough from Alderman Spring, who occupied the Mayoral chair for 14 years. He invited the aldermen to accompany him to the City-road, near Codrington-street, where has been erected a stone fountain with horse and dog trough. The trough is a single block of freestone, which originally weighed over 6 tons, mounted on trachyte bases. In the centre rises a pedestal also of freestone, richly moulded on a polished trachyte base. Of the four sides two are carved, and the other two have polished panels let in bearing a short inscription. Alderman Spring handed the keys to the Mayor (Alderman Graham), who turned on the water. The aldermen having returned to the Town Hall a vote of thanks to the donor was carried unanimously. The architects of the fountain are Messrs. Morrow and De Putron, and the builder Mr. John Garnett, of Parramatta.

Jubilee of Balmain.—In 1800 a huge slice of the territory now known as Balmain—probably the most populous borough in New South Wales—was granted by Governor Hunter to Dr. William Balmain, surgeon of a ship that arrived from India, as a reward for medical services rendered by him to the colony. The doctor thought so little of the gift as to pass it on for ten shillings to his friend, Dr. John Gilchrist, professor of Hindustanee at Calcutta. An attractive souvenir has just been issued to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the corporation of the municipality. An article in the booklet on "The Rise and Progress of Balmain," contains the following:—"The peninsula now included in the municipality of Balmain was one of the first places which attracted attention, but the first visitors do not seem to have been very strongly impressed with its appearance. It is described as being covered with a dense tea-tree scrub, through which some gum trees straggled and struggled up towards the sun. The shores were rough and rocky; and the rocks were covered with brambles and native currants. Further exploration showed that the point was admirably adapted as a trap for kangaroos, and it became the custom for the sporting men of the colony to go out in parties and drive a mob of kangaroos from the plains (where Leichhardt and Ashfield are now) down to the point. This accomplished the best marksmen stationed themselves at the narrowest part of the peninsula (about where the School of Arts and the Methodist Church now stand) to shoot the animals as they were driven back by the beaters. A story is extant that a considerable slice of land near Birchgrove was sold for a barrel—not the proverbial bottle, but a barrel—of rum. Those acquainted with the early history of Balmain tell that the first distribution of the "Sydney Morning Herald" amounted to 12 copies, and these were handed to subscribers as they passed on to the ferry."

Big and Small Mines.—In another portion of this issue appears an article dealing with the wasted efforts involved in the exploitation of small mines, especially in the case of copper, as well as copper-gold, and silver-lead lodes. Attention is drawn to the fact that a number of prominent mining men, well acquainted with the circumstances of the case, are of opinion that, owing to the tendency of the gold-bearing lodes in the Cobar district to change into copper formations, the inevitable result will be to throw the present battery amalgamation plants on the scrap heap. This means the adoption of smelting methods, as the cheapest and most effective system of recovering metal values. The article quotes the opinion of Mr. J. E. Carne, F.G.S., Assistant Government Geologist, that individual smelting efforts amongst some of the Cobar mines spells "wasted efforts." It also gives the opinion of certain mining men that the solution of the problem of how to profitably work the changing ore bodies in the Cobar district lies in a judicious amalgamation of certain mines. This would permit of a suitable blending of ores, and the extraction of the metal values in the simplest, cheapest, and most effective method known to metallurgical science.

Artesian Bores.—The Minister for Works (Mr. Lee), at the Penrith show yesterday, made reference to the policy he had adopted with regard to the conservation of water. Mr Lee said that he had always been firmly impressed with the necessity for taking advantage to the greatest possible extent of the gifts that nature had given them. In the North-west they had the artesian basin, and where there were no natural watercourses, artesian bores had been put down, and to-day there were 3500 miles of drains made, and 4,000,000 acres of land perpetually watered by this means, all being paid for by the owners. The Act which controlled this provided that the bores should be paid for in 28 years, and after that period were wedded to that land for ever. He had been told that he would ruin the country, but of all the trusts he had brought into existence to carry out these schemes not one owed any arrears. What was more, people in those parts were anxious to get the water, and were tumbling over themselves to get him to carry out further work.

Manufactures Day.—The secretary of the New South Wales Chamber of Manufactures has received a letter from the Prime Minister to the following effect:—"The Federal Government has pleasure in granting its patronage to the Australian Manufactures Day to be held in Sydney on March 31." Other corporations are expected to fall into line.

Not a Kadi.—The President of the Industrial Court was asked yesterday by an advocate to decide a point in a certain way, on the ground that it was a fair thing that a foreman should get a certain wage, although the award did not exactly say so. The advocate persisted. The Judge could not fall in with his view. The advocate persisted still. "Sir," said the Judge at length, "I am not a Kadi. I can't make law as I like. I cannot order things just because they appear to me to be good, as the first county court Judge in England did in the first county court case. It was a case in which a young man was sued for debt, and his Honor found out during the course of it that the young man had not been helped in any way by his rich relations, and his Honor felt very deeply that they ought to have helped him. So he gave judgment for the debt against his aunt. . . . If I could do things of that sort," his Honor concluded, "I might be able to do what you ask."

Imperative Orders of the Motor Horn.—"A.S." writes that his funeral notice might have been in the papers and his wife a widow but for a streak of luck. He is complaining that motor-cars pass stationary trams at too high a speed, and gives an account of how he was nearly run down. In contrast to this he refers to "the courtesy and decency of drivers of horse-drawn vehicles, who invariably halt a little behind the trams to allow passengers to alight in safety." After a tirade against "motor hogs" and suggestions about numbering motor-cars and empowering tram conductors to stop them by holding up their hands, he goes on to advocate that the use of a motor horn or syren should be made illegal, because, he argues, the use of such an instrument gives the motor driver command of the whole road, as "the tooting is really an imperative order for any vehicle or pedestrian ahead to clear out of the way."

Need of the Interior.—Yesterday, at the Methodist Conference, some time was devoted to making provision for the needs of the outback folk. It transpired that eleven new ministers were required. Nine of them were for country circuits. But in the provision of probationers, it was shown that the theological college would have to give up several young men who had not yet had their two years' course. So it came to be a choice of two evils, the evil of having congregations without pastors, or sending out ministers ill-equipped for their work. A compromise was arrived at, and eight places were provided with pastors. From each district came appeals for sympathetic consideration. From Brunswick came Mr. G. Smith, who pleaded for a minister for Bangalow. "There is no compulsion," cried Mr. Smith, "but we must have a minister."

Law Business.—The Full Court has now only another week before it in which to dispose of the remaining appeals on the term list, and there is still a considerable amount of business to get through. In these circumstances, the Chief Justice has announced that he hopes to arrange for a second Court during the coming week, but that he could not say anything definite about the matter at present.

The Methodist Secession.—The Rev. W. Woolls Rutledge, referring yesterday to the decision of the New Zealand Methodist Conference to secede from the Australasian General Conference, said that for years the members of the New Zealand Conference felt that there was very little in the political and ecclesiastical interests of the Dominion identical with those of Australia. There had, of course, been no quarrel with the Australian section of the Church. The Dominion Methodists simply believed that the advantages of separation and a distinct conference easily outweighed the advantages of union. The expenses of travelling from New Zealand to Australia every three years was looked upon as unnecessary, and the money, it was felt, could be better employed. In all probability, seeing that there was a large majority in the Dominion in favour of the secession, the General Conference would very probably consent to the proposal for separation. In 1902, continued Mr. Rutledge, Methodist union became general in Australia. In New Zealand, however, the Primitive Methodists stood aloof, while others came into the union. One result of the breakaway will probably be the union of all branches of the Methodist Church in New Zealand.

"Traveller" complains of tram conductors giving the signal for cars to start before passengers have time to board them.

We have received from the Royal Packet Steam Navigation Company (the K.P.M.) an illustrated pamphlet describing the Molucco tour—"three weeks among the nutmeg gardens of the spice islands."

The annual meeting of the Old Girls' Union of Normanhurst, Ashfield, will take place on Monday, 7th instant. There will be the usual tennis match between former and present pupils.

The Commonwealth Public Service Commissioner is inviting applications for the position of electrical engineer, Postmaster-General's Department, Queensland. The salary is £520 to £600 per annum.

PERSONAL.

The late Walter Angus Bethune Gellibrand, of Cleveland, Tasmania, who died in November last, left estate in Tasmania to the value of over £22,000, and estate in New South Wales of the net value of £62,[illegible]. Probate has been granted. Testator bequeathed £[illegible] to John Gellibrand, son of his deceased brother, Thomas L. Gellibrand, and the residue of the estate is bequeathed in equal shares to the other children of Thomas L. Gellibrand, viz., Annie Mary Robinson, wife of F. W. G. Robinson, of Suffolk, England; Isabella Lloyd Geidt, wife of Alfred Geidt, of Frankfort, Germany; Thomas William Gellibrand, of Hobart, Walter Tice Gellibrand, of Hobart, and Lieut. Henry Blake Gellibrand, R.N. The executors and trustees under the will are Walter Ross Munro Bethune, of Dunrobin, Tasmania, and his nephews, Thomas W. Gellibrand and Walter Tice Gellibrand, of Hobart.

Mr. A. E. Cradick, who has been connected with the Public Instruction Department for 19 years, has now been retired at his own request, and has left for Great Britain and the Continent in pursuance of a literary scheme which he has in view. He will best be remembered for his inauguration of the camp school policy and agriculture education generally. He expects to be away about six months.

Owing to illness, Mr. Justice Pring was unable to leave his residence yesterday, and the hearing of the case in which he had been sitting with the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Sly in Banco had to be adjourned.

Sir Samuel M'Caughey, who has been on a visit to New Zealand, returned to Sydney yesterday by the Union Company's turbine steamer Maheno, from Auckland.

Mr. G. W. Renshaw, who was for 24 years physical instructor at the Y.M.C.A., was last night the recipient of a presentation of an illuminated address and a cheque from the board of directors and past and present members of the gymnasium. The general secretary (Mr. J. J. Virgo) presided, and referred to his intimate knowledge of Mr. Renshaw, extending over 20 years. Mr. C. H. Helsham, B.A., made the presentation on behalf of the committee, and bore splendid testimony to the recipient as a man and as an instructor. Mr. A. C. Ebsworth presented a gold bangle to Mrs. A. Allen (daughter) for her services as pianiste; and a gold albert to Mr. Tom Renshaw (son) for his work in the gymnasium. Among those present were Dr. T. Storie Dixson and Mr David Walker, both of whom were with the retiring instructor at the outset of his connection with the Y.M.C.A.

CAPSIZE OVER A GORGE.

A MIRACULOUS ESCAPE.

BELLINGEN, Friday.

One of the most miraculous escapes ever credited to the Dorrigo cutting occurred this morning. Mr. Thomas Craig, accompanied by his wife and baby, was driving home to Bellingen from Dorrigo show with a buggy and pair. When about 100 yards down the cutting the horses shied to the edge of the embankment where the stones gave way under the outside animal's feet, and the whole turnout and the occupants were hurled into the gorge. The buggy turned over three times and then became stationary on the side about 50ft below the road. Mr. Craig was partially stunned by a blow on the top of the head, but soon recovered, and regained the horses, which were standing entangled in brush, but attached to the buggy. Mrs. Craig had been caught up inside the hood of the buggy, and the baby was found in some bushes near by. Only slight damage was done to the vehicle, and neither horses nor occupants sustained serious injury.

There was a heavy growth of dye-berries down the side of the mountain, which eased the fall, the buggy being a light one, and probably accounted for the miraculous escape. Several passers-by assisted to get everything to the surface, and after considerable difficulty the occupants proceeded to Bellingen. The accident emphasises the necessity for widening and fencing the cutting, which is very dangerous in various parts.

FLOCKMASTER FOR ABROAD.

SYDNEY MAN SELECTED.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Last year the Government of the Transvaal Colony, South Africa, requested the Commonwealth authorities to select in Australia a flockmaster and wool expert for the Transvaal at a salary commencing at £650, and rising by annual increments at £30 to £800. The work of selecting a man was undertaken by Messrs. J. H. Boothby (Dalgety and Co., Ltd., Melbourne), Duncan Carson (Winchcombe, Carson, Ltd., of Sydney), and R. J. Rutherford (Elder, Smith, and Co., Adelaide). These gentlemen undertook the task of examining the 55 applications received, and personally interviewing 11 applicants, whose credentials appeared most promising. They found that only one applicant appeared to possess the requirements for the position. That was Mr. C. Mallinson, of Sydney, who has a splendid reputation as a judge of sheep and wool. Mr. Mallinson has acted as a sheep classer for some 30 stations, including Bundemar, Trangie, and Burroway, in New South Wales, and has lectured on sheep and wool at the Government farm at Bathurst.

POWLETT RIVER COALFIELDS.

ALL ADJACENT LANDS RESUMED.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The Secretary for Mines (Mr. Dickson), referring to the statements that two syndicates had been formed in Sydney to work 8000 acres in Powlett River country as coal mines, said if they were syndicates the department knew nothing of them as such. It was quite possible, Mr. Dickson said, that some of the individual applicants for leases of country some distance from Powlett, and beyond the Kirrak area, were interested in syndicates. The largest area that could be taken up under one lease was a square mile (640 acres), but one applicant could hold more than one lease, if he could show that he had means to work it. The department had reserved all the area about Powlett for the State mine, and the adjoining Kirrak territory was only to be leased by tender. Consequently any country for which persons interested in any syndicate were applying must be beyond Kirrak.

BITTEN BY A SNAKE.

EFFECTIVE TREATMENT.

BOWRAVILLE, Friday.

Whilst working with his father, a lad named Edward O'Donnell, 11 years of age, was bitten on the leg by a black snake. The father at once cut a piece out and sucked the wound. The lad was then attended by Dr. Thomas, and is now progressing well.

BUSH BROTHERHOOD.

A METHODIST ATTACK.

"DEVICE OF THE DEVIL."

The Rev. Mr. Harold Wheen, speaking at the Methodist Conference, told of the great need for workers in the Western districts. Bourke circuit had an area of 40,000, and Wilcannia 40,000 square miles.

Here the Methodist Church, he said, came into conflict with the Bush Brotherhood. He hated to say anything against other Churches. He respected the work of the Anglican Church, but he did not respect the work of the Bush Brotherhood. The members of this brotherhood taught that Methodism was not a Church, but a device of the devil to draw men from the only true Church, which was the Church of England.

TO-DAY.

St. Ignatius' Rowing Regatta: Lane Cove River, 2.
Sydney Cricket Ground: Petersham v University, 2.
Royal Art Society: Cabinet Exhibition, 10.
Rosehill Races: First Race, 2.
Rosebery Races: First Race, 2.15.
Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron: Final Races, 2.
Criterion Theatre: "The Merchant of Venice," 8.
Her Majesty's Theatre: "A Waltz Dream," 8.
Tivoli Theatre: Vaudeville, 2.30 and 8.
National Amphitheatre: Vaudeville, 2.30 and 7.45.
Glaciarium: West's Pictures, 2.30 and 8.
Zoological Gardens and Aquarium: 10.
Bijou Theatre: Moving Pictures, 2.30 and 8.
Palace: "Luck of Roaring Camp," 8.
Clay's Vaudeville: Standard Theatre, 8.
Lyceum: Spencer's Theatrescope: 2.30 and 8.
Fort-street School Gala: Domain Baths, 2.30.
Mr. J. Tandy's Lecture: Oxford and Palmer sts, [illegible].
St. David's Day Picnic: Bodd Island, [illegible].

ANGRY COMMONS DEBATE.

THE GOVERNMENT ATTACKED.

DISPUTE ABOUT FINANCE.

A CRITICAL SITUATION.

LONDON, March 3.

In the House of Commons last night during an angry criticism of the Government for borrowing, Sir R. Finlay accused the Ministry of wanton perversity, and declared that only the Government's allies would oppose the income tax resolution.

Mr. H. W. Bottomley (Liberal) said, "Borrowing from debtors is the apotheosis of business ineptitude."

Mr. R. M'Kenna, First Lord of the Admiralty, said, "We are not going to adopt the course mapped out by the House of Lords."

Lord Hugh Cecil declared that the Government ought not to refuse a resolution for the collection of the income tax, out of pique and temper because the new House was against the Government on the Budget.

Sir W. S. Robson (Attorney-General) denied that the resolution would compel the people to pay the income tax before the Budget was passed.

Mr. Lloyd-George, Chancellor of the Exchequer, considers that the House of Commons will disapprove of taking the income tax apart from other measures in the Budget.

Unionist newspapers protest against this view, and urge the Government to straighten the disordered finances.

MR. ASQUITH EMPHATIC.

"NO MORE PLOUGHING OF THE SANDS."

VETO BILL MUST BE PASSED.

LONDON, March 4.

Numerous questions were directed to Mr. Asquith in the House of Commons concerning the position of the Government.

Mr. Asquith, replying, said: "There will be no more ploughing of the sands. The Government will not continue in office unless it is able to ensure the Veto Bill becoming law."

Continuing, Mr. Asquith announced that, subject to unforeseen contingencies, the House would be asked, after its adoption of the veto resolutions, to assent to the Budget before the spring recess, but he declined to state whether a dual Budget was intended.

PRESS OPINIONS.

SOME OF THE "IFS."

LONDON, March 4.

The "Daily News" declares that if the Veto Bill proves impossible there will be no Budget.

The "Daily Telegraph" writes: "It is understood that the unforeseen contingencies mentioned by Mr. Asquith refer to Mr. Redmond's determination not to allow the Budget to pass unless the Veto Bill becomes law."

THE SHADOW BEFORE.

EARLY DISSOLUTION EXPECTED.

LONDON, March 4.

It has been arranged that the Parliamentary golf tournament shall occupy only one day instead of six weeks, owing to the general expectation of an early dissolution.

THE HIGH COMMISSIONER.

AUDIENCE WITH THE KING.

LONDON, March 3.

King Edward cordially received Sir George Reid, High Commissioner for the Commonwealth, to-day, and conferred the knighthood degree.

Sir George was received in special audience, which lasted 20 minutes. His Majesty manifested deep interest in the affairs of the Commonwealth.

The King, in conferring the knighthood, invested Sir George Reid with the insignia of the Order of St. Michael and St. George.

Sir George Reid afterwards had a long interview with Rear-Admiral Jellicoe at the Admiralty.

MURDER AT GORSE HALL.

DRAMATIC MOMENT IN COURT.

LONDON, March 4.

The trial is proceeding of Cornelius Howard Chester on a charge of murdering Mr. George Storrs, one of the largest building contractors in England, at his residence, Gorse Hall, Stalybridge, in November of last year.

A burglar, afterwards identified by Mrs. Storrs, and three servants, as the accused, who is deceased's cousin, stabbed Mr. Storrs as he tried to prevent his escape.

Mrs. Storrs, when testifying in court to the incidents of the struggle, glanced round, and, looking at Chester, exclaimed: "That's the man."

ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION.

ACTIVE PHILANTHROPIC WORK.

LONDON, March 4.

A further stage has been reached in the scheme of Mr. J. D. Rockefeller, the American millionaire, to dispose of his fortune for the benefit of mankind.

Mr. Rockefeller, junior, is retiring from business to devote himself to philanthropic work as the active head of his father's (Rockefeller) foundation.

NICARAGUAN REVOLUTION.

REBELS CRUSHINGLY DEFEATED.

LONDON, March 4.

The revolutionary force, under General Chamorros, was crushingly defeated by the Government troops at Tisma, Nicaragua.

Eight hundred revolutionaries were killed, wounded, or captured. Many revolutionaries elsewhere have since surrendered.

MILITARY FLYING MACHINES.

SIR H. MAXIM'S PREDICTION.

LONDON, March 3.

Sir Hiram Maxim, addressing the Aerial League, predicted that the weight of 150-horse-power engines for military flying machines would not exceed 300lb.

Money advanced upon all securities. N.S.W. Mont de Piete D. and I. Co., Ltd., 74 Castlereagh-street, 74, Sydney, and 17 Hunter-street, Newcastle, Eustace Bennett, G. Mgr.—Advt.

THE EVERETTE DISASTER.

SNOW-BOUND TRAINS.

HURLED TWO HUNDRED FEET.

EIGHTY-FOUR DEAD AND MISSING.

LONDON, March 3.

Further reports regarding the avalanche which swept down a slope of the Cascade Mountains, Washington State (U.S.A.), burying two trains deep under the snow, state that the expresses had been snow-bound seven days.

The avalanche hurled them a distance of 200ft, and buried them in the bottom of a canyon.

The avalanche, which was a mile long, devastated a portion of the town of Wellington. The telegraph lines are destroyed for a distance of 15 miles around.

A passenger who escaped brought the first news to Snohomish, 70 miles south-east of Victoria.

Several passengers were saved by sheltering in an hotel, instead of remaining in the snow-bound trains.

Nurses and doctors were sent by train from Everette, but are unable to get within 15 miles of Wellington, which is covered deeply in snow.

LONDON, March 4.

The rescued, who are arriving at Everett, report that the dead and missing are 84.

They say that there is little likelihood of further rescues, as the trains are buried under 40ft of snow, rock, and debris.

It will be the work of weeks to dig out the remains.

PHILADELPHIA RIOTS.

THE POLICE POWERLESS.

GENERAL STRIKE DECLARED.

LONDON, March 4.

Renewed riots in connection with the strike of tramway men have taken place at Bridesbury, Philadelphia.

The police were powerless to check the riots, and great damage was done to the Transit Company's property.

LONDON, March 3.

The Central Federated Labour Union in Philadelphia has proclaimed a general sympathetic strike, commencing at midnight on Friday.

Employees to the number of 100,000 will strike work unless the tramway authorities consent to submit to arbitration.

"FINANCIAL SHARKS."

CANADIAN LEGISLATOR'S COMPLAINTS.

LONDON, March 3.

Mr. W. H. Cushing, Minister of Works in the Provincial Government of Alberta (Canada), has resigned.

He considers that his colleagues were bested by the Pierpont Morgan Company purchasing the Alberta great waterways and railways bonds, valued at £1,500,000.

Mr. Cushing states that he was not consulted, and that the Legislature has been victimised by financial sharks.

STEALING WORKMEN'S FUNDS.

EX-COUNCILLOR CONVICTED.

AUDITOR COMMITS SUICIDE.

LONDON, March 3.

Ex-Councillor William Young, of Kingston-upon-Thames, has been sentenced to three years' penal servitude for stealing £6000, the funds of a workmen's club and building society.

The books of the society had practically not been audited for 17 years.

Fivesh, the society's auditor, has since committed suicide.

GREEK POLITICS.

ANOTHER MOVE IN THE GAME

LONDON, March 4.

Out of 161 members of the Greek Chamber of Deputies, 150 voted in favour of the Convocation of a revisionist Assembly on September 14 next.

King George of Greece opposed the Military League's demand for the convocation of a National Assembly on constitutional grounds, but subsequently yielded. The same week (February 5) the Turkish Government intimated that the sending of Cretan deputies to the Greek National Assembly would be considered a casus belli. Thereupon the Powers resolved not to permit the convocation. It was immediately afterwards announced at Athens that the National Assembly would not be convoked till 1911, and that the representative would then be restricted to the Greek Kingdom.

DALAI LAMA'S FLIGHT.

LONDON, March 3.

The Earl of Minto, Viceroy of India, in a telegram, states that the Dalai Lama fled from Lhassa against the advice of the Council and National Assembly.

AMERICA'S MAXIMUM DUTIES.

SOME HOPE FOR CANADA.

LONDON, March 4.

The American delegates at Ottawa are hopeful that President Taft will be relieved of the necessity of applying the maximum duties of the U.S.A. to Canada.

COLLIERY EXPLOSION.

TWENTY-EIGHT KILLED AND THIRTY-SEVEN MISSING.

LONDON, March 4.

Advices from Juneau, Alaska (U.S.A.), state that an explosion in the air shaft at the Treadwell mine killed 28 men.

There are 37 other men missing, and it is feared that they also have perished.

ON IRISH SOIL.

PRESIDENT TAFT AND ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

LONDON, March 4.

Fresh-cut sods and a hundred packets of shamrock were sent from Queenstown (Ireland) yesterday to Chicago to enable President Taft to tread on Irish soil during the St. Patrick's Day celebrations in the latter place.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

ENGLAND DEFEATS FRANCE.

LONDON, March 4.

At a Rugby football match played in Paris, England defeated France by 11 points to 3.

BRITISH ARMY ESTIMATES.

EXPENDITURE OF £27,760,000.

LONDON, March 4.

The British army estimates total £27,760,000.

Mr. Haldane (Secretary of State for War), explains that the increase (£325,000) is due to the striking success of the county associations' efforts to fill the ranks of the Territorial units.

It is further stated by Mr. Haldane that the total establishment shows an increase of a thousand men, and that the recruits offering exceed the number voted.

On the question of airships, Mr. Haldane declares that two large dirigibles will be shortly available.

The following has been the military expenditure during the past five years:—1905-6, £28,478,863; 1906-7, £28,501,421; 1907-8, £27,141,642; 1908-9, £27,459,000; 1909-10, £27,435,000.

RUSSIAN COUNT'S MURDER.

SENSATIONAL TRIAL AT ATHENS.

LONDON, March 4.

A sensational trial begins at the Venice Assizes to-day, in which Naumoff, a Russian, the Countess Tarnowska, her lawyer Prilukoff, and her maid Perrier are charged with the murder of Count Kamarowski, a Russian, at Venice, in September, 1907.

It is alleged that Naumoff shot Count Kamarowski. The Count's life was insured for £20,000 in favour of Countess Tarnowska, a Russian divorcee, aged 26, who was betrothed to him. The Countess and Prilukoff were arrested at Vienna on a charge of collusion in the murder.

The Countess alleged at the time that Naumoff, who is a young married man, was desperately in love with her, and to get the Count out of the way determined to kill him. She sent Prilukoff with detectives to protect the Count and prevent his murder.

Prilukoff, however, subsequently confessed that the extravagance of the Countess had ruined him, and had driven him to rob his clients. He added that she planned the murder to obtain the insurance money, and that he was to marry her afterwards. Naumoff was a mere tool in her hands.

THE TEST MATCH.

ENGLAND BEATS S. AFRICA.

LONDON, March 3.

The test match, England v South Africa, was concluded to-day. England won by three wickets. (Bird 43, Hobbs 93 unfinished.)

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

LONDON, March 3.

Lord Macdonald has withdrawn his opposition to the proof of legitimacy in the action brought by Mr. A. Bosville, but the case requires formal proof for the satisfaction of the Court.

The newspapers favourably notice a vocal and pianoforte recital in the Bechstein Hall by Miss Florence Schmidt and Miss Elsie Hall, Australian artists.

Marshal Sermes Fonseca has been elected President of the Republic of Brazil by a majority of 50,000 votes.

Mr. Hall Jones, High Commissioner for New Zealand, has interviewed the Admiralty concerning the New Zealand Dreadnought gift to Great Britain.

The Bishop of Lincoln, Rt. Rev. Edward King, D.D., who is in a critical condition, has dictated a touching farewell to the people of his diocese.

Probate has been granted in the English estate of the late Mr. Robert Hoe, machinery manufacturer, of New York, which was sworn at £113,203.

IRON PRODUCTION.

CHINA A COMPETITOR.

TESTING THE AUSTRALIAN MARKET.

By the E. and A. Company's Eastern mail steamer Aldenham there arrived in Sydney yesterday Mr. L. H. Drakeford, a representative of the iron interests of China, whose mission is to ascertain whether there is in Australia a market for the surplus pigiron of one of the largest works in the East. Although a Victorian by birth, Mr. Drakeford has resided in Shanghai for the past 10 years, with occasional visits to Australia, and he is hopeful that a new trade will be opened up by the importation into the principal cities of the Commonwealth of large quantities of pigiron.

Mr. Drakeford represents the Hangyang Iron and Steel Works, situated at Hanyang, near Hankow, about 600 miles up the Yangtsze-Kiang River. These works have recently been extensively developed, and are equipped with all the most modern plant, enabling, it is claimed, an excellent quality of iron and steel to be turned out.

"The present output," Mr. Drakeford explained, "is about 4000 tons a day, but within the next two months this quantity will be augmented by another 250 tons a day, on account of the blowing in of another blast furnace. The great bulk of the labour employed is, of course, Chinese, but the metallurgical and technical departments are in the hands of foreign experts. The greater part of the iron produced is converted into steel by the Siemens-Martin open hearth process, and practically the whole of this steel is rolled into railway rails. Owing to the great expansion of the railway systems of China the works are unable to cope with the demand for rails, and it is expected that for some years the entire output of the works will be disposed of locally. Additions are to be made on an extensive scale to endeavour to meet the demand, and further steel furnaces will be built as rapidly as possible. The company employs about 10,000 hands all told. Of course, the greater part of these men are Chinese coolies, who perform work much of which in other parts of the world is done by machinery.

"The production of iron, however, is in excess of the production of steel, and for some time past the surplus has been exported to the United States. It is now proposed to ascertain whether the Australian market can absorb some of this surplus, and this is the object of my mission. The pigiron is quite equal to that manufactured in any other part of the world, but although we may offer certain inducements to merchants it is not our intention to cut prices very fine. We shall get the best price we can for our surplus iron. Business has already been transacted with Victoria, and I propose to remain in Sydney for at least a month to find out the prospects of trade here."

LITHGOW IRONWORKS.

LITHGOW, Friday.

Full time was worked in all departments at the ironworks this week. Four new puddling furnaces are being erected near the front of the works, and an extension of the main shed is being made to cover them. Considerable progress has already been made with the furnaces, and they will be brought into operation as early as possible.

THE DESTROYERS' CREWS.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The crews which are to bring the Commonwealth destroyers Parramatta and Yarra out to Australia are to leave for England in the R.M.S. Otranto. Fifteen men from Queensland will join the vessel at Brisbane on March 11. The Melbourne contingent of 35 will join the mail steamer here on March 23; while the South Australians to the number of 25 will embark at Adelaide. All those who are going home are permanently attached to the naval forces of the Commonwealth. It is probable that Captain Creswell, Naval Director, will leave Australia later to take charge of the vessels on their way out. The first boat will be ready on June 14, and while the crews are awaiting the completion of the vessel they will undergo a course of instruction in gunnery and torpedo work. While waiting for the second vessel the crews will be exercised in the Parramatta.

AUSTRALIA'S NAVAL BASE.

VIEW IN NAVAL CIRCLES.

"ONLY ONE OPINION."

PRESENT SUITABILITY OF SYDNEY.

There is no difference of opinion in naval circles as to what port is the most suitable for the naval base in Australia. The matter, like all other naval topics, is fairly generally discussed amongst naval officers. They are prevented by the rules of the service from entering into public controversy. But those who are aware of the feeling in naval circles know that if the views of the officers of the Australian squadron had any influence on the settlement they are entirely in favour of Sydney. There would be no serious question of any other existing port.

"There is only one opinion," said a naval officer yesterday. "As far as I know the feeling amongst naval officers here, there is no other port that can possibly rival Sydney as a naval base in Australia at present. The only alternative to making Sydney the base would be to create an entirely new naval port in some harbour like Port Lincoln. But the necessity for that cannot arise for 50 years, at a safe estimate. Until the Commonwealth has a navy something like the size of Great Britain's, which would for some reason make it worth while going to the great expense of creating a separate and distinct naval harbour, there is no question in the mind of a naval officer that Sydney is the best port for the base.

THE BEST HARBOUR.

"To begin with, from the point of view of the sailor, there is no port in the running with Sydney—for a safe deep harbour. There is no better harbour in the world than the one you have here. As for the entrance, there is the same difficulty at the mouth of Sydney Harbour as there is at Melbourne—that is, shoal. As ships get bigger, of course, it is a growing difficulty; but it can be dealt with. Of the two places that difficulty can be remedied more easily in Sydney, because the obstruction here is in undisturbed water inside the harbour, and men could work on it 320 days in the year. The work would be slow and difficult in Melbourne. The Melbourne entrance is complicated with tides and strong currents, which are not a difficulty in Sydney.

FACILITIES TO HAND.

"In Sydney Harbour there are facilities for repairing and fitting out all ready to hand. There is the Government Dock, which is already well provided, and will be made capable without much trouble, I should say, of doing any work that may be necessary—besides all the facilities which a big city naturally offers for such work. I don't know if the Commonwealth Government is going to turn us out and take over the whole business. But if it is, you have in Sydney big naval stores, and a considerable plant already there at Spectacle Island and Garden Island. If the base were for some reason moved off to another port there would be left behind a million pounds' worth or so of Government money invested here for naval purposes—not including the dockyard. There does not seem any forcible reason for leaving it. The reasons are all the other way.

THE BEST POSITION.

"Strategically, the navy of Australia will always have to have its eyes on the Pacific. It is in the Pacific the work of the Australian fleet will lie. The place for the Australian naval base is on the Pacific. There's no existing port north of Sydney that could very well be used. You could not make the port of Brisbane do for a base. Port Stephens or Jervis Bay might do one day, if the Commonwealth finds it worth while to go to the expense of creating a special naval harbour. Till then the obvious base in the Pacific is Sydney.

"I am not speaking of New Zealand, mind. There may be ports in New Zealand suitable for a Pacific fleet. I'm thinking of what is the best base of the Commonwealth's own navy.

"There is one advantage which Melbourne has over Sydney. It is further from the sea. It is not an advantage in every way, but still, it is some advantage in case of attack. But, taking that into account along with everything else, there is no question from the naval point of view as to Sydney's being the right port for the naval base in Australia.

SEPARATE NAVAL BASE.

"It is true that for some reasons it is better for a country with a large navy, if it can afford it, to have for a base a purely naval port, and not any great commercial port. We find ourselves in our ports in England to some extent hampered by the great traffic. Portsmouth, Devonport, Chatham, Sheerness, all lead on to crowded commercial fairways—from Southampton and Plymouth and London or Rochester. If you want to experiment in, say, minelaying or many other naval problems there, you cannot well rope off the space you need, and order all traffic to keep clear. Also, if your big commercial cities are naval cities as well, there is no moral obligation on an enemy not to hammer them in war time. There is no legal obligation, of course, in any case—an enemy has theoretically the right to bombard any city, naval or no. But, as a matter of fact, nations have considerable regard for public opinion in war time. It is surprising how strictly they do regard it. You will find that in the Russo-Japanese War respect of public opinion had very considerable influence with both sides. Consequently there is not much chance of purely commercial cities suffering damage in war time. But this can hardly be expected to apply to cities which are naval ports.

"It may be that in the future some time, if the Australian navy grows to anything like the proportions of the British navy, it will be worth while, and advisable, to create some special naval port as a naval base purely, which would, of course, be neither at Sydney nor Melbourne. But it is no use constructing such a base unless you provide it with all the necessary docks and trades and stores and factories, all the facilities for all the possible work of a navy; and the expense of this would be out of all proportion to the size of any navy which the Commonwealth can develop—I should say—within 50 years.

NO QUESTION FOR 50 YEARS.

"Until then, when some port apart from any of the big cities would be chosen, there is no question as to Sydney being the right place for the headquarters of the Australian navy."

The question of the Commonwealth naval base has to be settled almost immediately. It might happen that either Sydney or Melbourne was the best. But the point of view which most Australians will wish it to be settled is from a singleminded consideration of what is best for the navy of the Commonwealth, and not for either Melbourne or Sydney. And, beyond question, the general opinion of naval officers is simply formed on wide and purely naval experience.

TRAM COLLISION.

SMASH AT BONDI JUNCTION.

FOUR PEOPLE INJURED.

At about 7 p.m. yesterday two trams travelling towards Bondi collided at the Newland-street stopping-place, as a result of which three passengers and one of the conductors were injured. Car No. 437, driven by Robert Williams, was proceeding towards Bondi Junction, following in the rear of car No. 467, driven by Michael Dunn. When the latter car reached Newland-street it pulled up. Shortly after it did so Williams's car came along and crashed into the back of it.

The rear portion of the front car was considerably damaged, while the other car was completely smashed. Passengers were thrown from their seats by the force of the impact, and considerable excitement prevailed.

Frank Churchill, living in Penkivil-street, Bondi, sustained a severe cut over his left eye, about 1½ inch long, which necessitated two stitches being inserted. William Alfred Whistler, of Read-street, Waverley, had his nose broken, and received a contusion on the forehead. They were both attended to by Dr. Ludlow. Mrs. Westhoff, of Brighton, suffered considerably from shock, but refused medical treatment, and was removed to her home. Frank Coleman, the conductor on the rear car, struck the back of his head violently, and was taken to St. Vincent's Hospital suffering from bruises and shock.

Four people, who were travelling on the front of the rear car, were luckily uninjured.

THE YORK-STREET FIRE.

VALUABLE FURS STOLEN.

A sequel to the fire in York House, York-street, which occurred on Thursday night last, came to light yesterday morning, when the No. 1 police were informed that goods had been stolen from the premises of several of the firms in the building. Robert H. Barber and Co. reported that a small sum of money and a quantity of valuable furs, valued in all at about £130, were stolen from their premises during the previous night. H. H. Hallis, wholesale jewellers, also reported the loss of £6 worth of jewellery. Mr. Norman Baker, who has premises in the building, also missed several articles. The police are investigating the matter.

MR. WATSON'S CRITICISM.

REPLY BY MR. COOK.

"BUNGLING CONTROL OF FISHER GOVERNMENT."

THE SURPLUS REVENUE BILL.

The Minister for Defence (Mr. Cook), referring yesterday to Mr. Watson's "good-bye" speech, said he regretted that the "good-bye" portion of it blew out so breezily. "In the first place," said Mr. Cook, "referring to the question of old-age pensions, Mr. Watson said 'the Labour party had been prepared to face the financial difficulties which the measure involved, and were quite prepared to put on direct taxation, and resort to any other method necessary to pass an Old-age Pensions Bill, but the party never commanded more than 27 votes out of the House of 75.' The simple answer to all this is that the Labour party did not trouble about old-age pensions while the large surpluses were going to the States, during which time it was not necessary to impose any additional taxation in order to finance it. It was only when funds ran short, and the surplus had almost dwindled to nothing, that the proposals for old-age pensions and the Surplus Revenue Bill were taken up and championed by the Labour party. In other words, they chose the most difficult time of all to do it, and to-day we are facing the consequences. There is an estimated deficiency of £1,200,000 on this year's estimates. Neither is it correct to say that the passing of the Surplus Revenue Bill enabled old-age pensions to be paid in any real sense.

"All that was done under the Surplus Revenue Act was to save up £600,000, a great portion of which was merely deferred payments, which have had to be made up this year. When Mr. Watson talks of the savings under the Surplus Revenue Act it reminds me of the story of the husband who asked his wife if she had economised during the month, to which the good wife replied, 'Oh, yes. I got the grocer, butcher, and the landlord to put off their bills until next month.' In this way, and in this way only, were the bulk of those savings made by the Labour party. In other words, the Post Office and the Defence Department were starved to save the money for this purpose. Had the thing been taken in hand earlier proper provision could have been made, even without the Surplus Revenue Act.

"With reference to defence, Mr. Watson says that I am passing through proposals, both naval and land, which a few months ago I was hostile to. Again he is entirely wrong. I have always been against the proposals put forward by the Labour party of a mosquito fleet, of which Mr. Watson speaks. I have been, and am to-day, one of the severest critics of that proposal, and for the simple reason that it proposed to deliberately waste the money of the taxpayers to give them a toy flotilla the defence value of which would have been nil. The Admiralty has been a far severer critic than I have been of their little bogus scheme, and deliberately set it aside and made the present proposals to take their place. Mr. Watson is quite correct as to the number of the boats. The full programme of the Labour party was 23 of these small boats, at a cost altogether of two millions and a quarter, and, I repeat, the defence value of them would have been nil. In the memorandum submitted to the conference by the naval authorities in England it is stated:—

Such flotillas cannot co-operate on the high seas in the wider conditions of protection of trade and preventing attacks by hostile cruisers and squadrons. The operations of destroyers and torpedo-boats are necessarily limited to the waters near the coast, or to a radius of action not far distant from their base, while there are great difficulties in manning such a force and keeping it always thoroughly efficient. A scheme limited to torpedo craft would not in itself be a good means of gradually developing a self-contained fleet capable of both offence and defence. Unless a naval force complies with this condition it can never take its proper place in the organisation of an Imperial Navy distributed strategically over the whole area of British interests.

"The unfortunate thing for our Labour-Socialist friends," Mr. Cook continued, "and apparently the unwelcome thing is that the naval authorities support my view, and my criticism. I repeat that the carrying out of the Fisher programme would have been a huge waste of public money. I denounced then, as I denounce now, their action in going behind the backs of the Admiralty, and not even paying them the compliment of consultation with regard to the building of the boats. In one word, our scheme is declared by the Admiralty to be an efficient scheme. Their scheme is declared by the Admiralty to have been inefficient and useless. I have never been against beginning to build an Australian navy, but I have always insisted, as I do to-day, that it should be along lines approved by the Admiralty, and as constituting a section of the Imperial British navy. The difference between the two schemes can be put in one sentence. The scheme to cost two and a quarter millions would have represented 656lb weight of metal, of offensive power, ours represents 10,000lb. Mr. Watson may call this a matter of degree only. It is simply the difference between a sensible and efficient proposal, and one which represents the throwing away of the taxpayers' money.

"Then Mr. Watson said that other nations had only borrowed to meet emergencies, but not for preparation purposes. Mr. Watson again is absolutely incorrect. A large portion of the Japanese estimates for this year are loan moneys for new boats. In fact, a large amount of loan money is spent annually by nearly all the great Powers. Moreover, we say the times are emergent, having in view the naval crisis, which is now already upon the Empire.

"In respect to land defence, the moment I took office I got my colleagues to agree to take the course which I had advocated during the two previous years. If the Labour party had been in power there would have been no Lord Kitchener visit, and no increase either in the land defence for last year of over 50 per cent.

"In asking Lord Kitchener to come it was with the object of following his advice. It would have been idle otherwise to have sent for him. The fact is, this Government succeeded only just in time in rescuing this question of defence from the bungling control of the Fisher Government.

"With regard to the question of the college and the payment of fees, there need be no difficulty in that respect. I agree with Mr. Watson that the college should be open to the sons of the poorest in the community, as well as the rich, and this is provided for in the recommendation of Lord Kitchener, who suggests that of the 80 cadetships of the college, one-fourth of them, say 20, should be scholarships open to boys who could not pay. When talking over this matter with Lord Kitchener I told him frankly that I thought the number would have to be very much increased. There is no objection to those paying who can, so long as there is no financial barrier imposed on the sons of the poor, who otherwise possess the requisite military qualifications. There must be only one test applied to officership of the forces—the test of efficiency, the test of ability. For the rest—a kind good-bye, and best wishes for Mr. Watson's future."

ADULTERATED MILK.

"CANCEL THEIR LICENSES."

A ROCKDALE SUGGESTION.

In a minute to Rockdale Council on Thursday evening the Mayor (Alderman Broe) thus expressed himself on the question of milk adulteration:—

"Several milk vendors in our municipality have been convicted several times during the last 12 months of adulterating their milk, and heavy fines have been inflicted. These penalties do not seem to have any deterrent effect, and it is about time that some stringent steps were taken to put a stop to a thing which is little short of a scandal. I would therefore suggest that it be intimated to all vendors of milk in the municipality who have been convicted of adulteration that any future conviction will be followed by a cancellation of their licenses. Milk adulteration is probably the meanest form of fraud that can be perpetrated. The council should not hesitate to cancel the license of a vendor who has been convicted more than once of the offence."

Alderman Goddard considered that the Mayor's suggestion was rather too drastic. Very often the licensee was the victim of dishonest servants. The council should deal with each case on its merits.

Alderman Cornish pointed out that a milk vendor, after three convictions, was liable to imprisonment. This was a sufficient punishment. In one recent case it had been shown in evidence that the licensee was away fishing when an employee was found with watered milk.

Alderman Monahan expressed himself as heartily in sympathy with a movement to stop this dangerous practice, but thought the resolution too drastic. He had heard of the difficulties under which some vendors laboured, by having boys who would add water to make a few pence for themselves. He was prepared to take his share of the responsibility by cancelling any license if the case merited it, but each case should be dealt with on its own merits.

A motion to adopt the Mayor's minute was lost.

BLIND WORKERS.

MR. HEDGER IN REPLY.

A CATEGORICAL DENIAL.

"These charges have been emanating from the Sydney Labour Council for the last ten years," said Mr. Hedger, after reading the report of the Trades Hall Committee in connection with the treatment of blind workers. "We invited the committee to come here and make a thorough investigation. It was some time before they could be induced to come, and then they heard evidence only from ex-inmates. They only heard one side of the question. As to their charges, I have documentary evidence here to refute them all."

"As far back as December, 1901, as a result of an inquiry by the Trades and Labour Council, Mr. Thrower, the president, made the following statement:—'We say this, that we are of opinion that the charges against the institution and manager are not proved in any particular. However, we think the institution, from what we have seen of it, is admirably conducted, and the workers are treated in a proper manner by the manager, and as men ought to be treated. They have no fault to find whatever.'

"If a fair and impartial investigation were made at the present time there would be the same verdict. The whole of the inmates are indignant at the statements of the committee. It is certainly not to the credit of the Labour Council to adopt such a report without proper inquiry. From the very outset they showed a strong bias against the institution.

"And what are their charges? The first is, that the wages paid to the inmates are grossly inadequate.' This I emphatically deny. To begin with, the committee had no data upon which to base their statement. They did not interview the workers or properly examine the wages book. The men, as a matter of fact, are well paid. Last week the chairman of the Wickerworkers' Wages Board stated that the blind workers were paid better than the sighted workers outside. We are paying better wages in the institution than union men are getting outside. In addition to this, we give each man a bonus and help with clothes and money any who are in distress."

"As to the second charge, that 'I am temperamentally unfit for my position,' I think the committee should be the best judge as to that. For 30 years I have held my position, and it is a unique record that not one complaint has been made against me. The committee of the Labour Council have accepted the statements of ex-inmates. One of them had not been in the institution for 16 years, and the other for 12 years. When they did come here, one of the labour delegates wanted to fight me, and the meeting ended in a row. As a matter of fact, our institution is credited with being one of the best in the whole world for dealing with the blind.

"The third charge, 'that some ex-inmates have been unnecessarily interfered with by me in their efforts to obtain outside assistance,' is amply refuted here. I have a complete list of their charges and documents signed by the Chief Secretary, charity organisation secretary, benevolent society, and the private secretary to the Governor, which absolutely disproves the most unreliable statements of the ex-inmates."

THE BEATTY WILL CASE.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Frederick Manley Ashe, John Heslop, and James Samuel Priestley, who were arrested yesterday in connection with the Beatty will case, were before the City Court to-day. Sarah Jane Beatty, who is also under arrest, did not appear, it being stated that she was ill at a boarding-house in Carlton. Priestley was charged on the following information:—"For that he, at Sydney, between April and December, 1908, did, together with Sarah Jane Beatty, John Heslop, Frederick Manley Ashe, Annie Nicholas Rogers, Michael Lynch, and other persons whose names are unknown, unlawfully conspire, combine, confederate, and agree to defeat the ends of justice." The information in each case was similar.

Sergeant-detective O'Donnell said that yesterday he arrested the three men on a provisional warrant in consequence of a telegram received from Sydney on the previous evening. He desired a remand till next Friday.

Mr. Cole, counsel for Ashe: What is your reason for asking for such a long remand?

Witness: There is another prisoner under detention in a house in Carlton. She could not appear before then; while I believe these men, who are business men, want time to fix up their business affairs. Probably the other defendant will not be able to appear in a week.

Mr. Cole: Has not my client, Ashe, been here for the last 20 years with one of the leading firms of solicitors?

Witness: Yes.

Mr. Creswell, P.M.: Do you know anything beyond what you have stated about the matter?

Sergeant-detective O'Donnell: I do know something of the facts of the case. The information and most of the inquiries were arranged and carried out by myself here in Victoria. The charges are in connection with the alleged forgery of a will. The will alleged to have been forged here was propounded in New South Wales; probate was granted, and a great deal of litigation has taken place in New South Wales and Victoria. The Crown Solicitor of New South Wales advised that the warrants in this case be issued for the arrest of the accused.

Mr. Cole: This is a case where people have given evidence on oath, and, like in another celebrated case, have turned round and said it was wrong.

Sergeant-detective O'Donnell: Yes; but there is evidence to corroborate that.

Mr. Creswell said he would grant the remand, and allow bail in each case in one surety of £200 or two sureties of £100 each.

WIRELESS MESSAGES.

THE SYDNEY STATION.

MODERN SYSTEM TO BE INSTALLED.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Further confirmation has been received of the fact that at least one of the tenders submitted for the erection of wireless telegraph stations at Sydney and Fremantle is acceptable in its terms. The expert committee which has been examining the tenders has practically concluded its work, and it is understood that a tender for the erection of the station on the lines of a well-known modern system of wireless will be recommended to the Postmaster-General for his acceptance.

In connection with this subject, an interesting communication has been received by the Central Postal Administration from Sir Jas. Mills, chairman of the Union Steamship Company. He gives some particulars of the wireless installation on the steamer Makura, which runs between Australia and Vancouver. It has a 5½ kilowatt equipment, capable of communicating with similarly fitted ships within a radius of 800 miles by day and from 1000 to 2000 miles by night. Under ordinary conditions communication at 2000 is attended with some difficulty, but on particularly favourable nights messages can be exchanged over even a greater distance.

NEW SILVER COINAGE.

The first shipment of the new silver coinage of Australian design minted in London, has been brought to Sydney by the Orient Company's R.M.S. Otranto, which arrived yesterday from London.

STATE ELECTIONS.

QUEANBEYAN.

The ballot in connection with the selection of a Liberal candidate for the Queanbeyan seat in the State Parliament resulted in the selection of Mr. H. A. Beegling, of Goulburn, who secured 349 votes to Mr. James Roberts' 311 and Mr. G. H. Thomas' 35.

Mr. J. J. Donohue has announced himself as the Labour candidate locally selected to contest the Queanbeyan seat at the forthcoming by-election. The central executive of the P.L.L., in pursuance of a clause in its constitution, selected Mr. Cusack, of Yass. So the Liberals are evidently not the only people meeting trouble by the selections.

SYDNEY ELECTORATES.

The central executive of the P.L.L. last evening endorsed the selection of Mr. Harry C. Hoyle and Mr. J. J. Morrish as Labour candidates for Surry Hills and King respectively at the next State election. For Paddington the name of Mr. J. P. Osborne and Mr. N. Rumelsen were referred to a ballot of the local league.

DARLING HARBOUR.

Some trouble promises over the selection of a Labour candidate for the Darling Harbour seat in the State Legislature. According to its constitution, the P.L.L. executive can select candidates for by-elections, and acting on this Mr. J. P. Cochrane has been selected; but the local league is resenting the action, which has taken the selection out of its hands, and a ballot will probably be demanded.

WOMAN'S TERRIBLE ACT.

STARTLING DISCOVERY.

SETS FIRE TO HOUSE.

CUTS HER OWN THROAT.

FIGHT IN THE DARK.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The horrible burning tragedy at Chetwynd-street, West Melbourne, last night, in which Lilian Ada Day, wife of Constable Day, lost her life, with her daughter Violet, aged 2 years, and as the result of which two other children—Roy, aged 9, and Cyril, aged 6, are now in the Melbourne Hospital, suffering from severe burns, was followed by a sensational development to-day. The Coroner's orderly, while examining the body of Mrs. Day, found that her throat was cut.

This development imparted a new element into the case. An examination of the house showed that Mrs. Day had deliberately set fire to the premises. This conclusion was inevitable; when it was found that the house was alight in four separate rooms, and in no case had the fires met. The evidence of intent were plainest in the bedroom, where the children slept. The furniture was piled against the door from the inside.

Under the bed was a pile of chips, and the mattress had been torn. The straw was protruding, so that it might more readily catch fire. Detective M'Manamny found a tin which had contained kerosene. It was patent that the poor woman had soaked the place with oil. A lamp had been thrown on the bed upon which Miss Rose Woodward, the deceased woman's sister, slept, and charred rags were also found in the room. The wood pile at the back of the house had vanished, and the wood disposed in various places in the house.

An extraordinary care for some canaries was shown. They were taken from their usual place in the house into the back yard; and, lastly, there is the evidence of the children. "Mother," stated the eldest boy, to Constable Day, "lit the fire."

According to the statement of Miss Woodward, she went early to bed. Mrs. Day sat in the kitchen writing. The letter she wrote is now in the hands of the Chief Commissioner of Police, and it is understood makes some sensational statements, which will be investigated by the coroner. Having done this she must have brought the wood in from the back and piled it in various places in the house. The fires having been lit, Mrs. Day went into the front room with the lamp. Her sister woke, and Mrs. Day seized her as she did so, throwing the burning lamp upon the bed. The two women struggled on the floor. Third-officer Heydon, of the fire brigade, found the two women struggling in each other's arms in the passage. Hearing that there was a child in the bedroom he plunged into the flames, and succeeded in bringing little Violet out, not quite dead; but she died in his arms. He went back and dragged Miss Woodward out, and returned again. Mrs. Day was not where he had left her, and thinking she had made her escape, he and his men devoted their attention to saving the house.

Constable Day returned from duty, and with Mr. Heydon found the body of his wife in the kitchen. A quantity of blood was lying beneath the body, but little attention was paid to it, until it was found at the Morgue that Mrs. Day had cut her throat. She must have done this after she rushed into the flames, and it is believed that she cut her throat with her husband's razor, which is missing. The letter in the hands of the Chief Commissioner of Police may furnish an explanation of the terrible deed.

Later.

Roy died in the Melbourne Hospital late to-night.

AUTOMOBILE TEST.

THE RUN TO GOULBURN.

SUCCESSFUL TOUR.

The Automobile Reliability Test began yesterday and will finish this afternoon. Yesterday's run was along the southern road to Goulburn, and to-day's will be the return journey to Moss Vale, and thence by the South Coast road to Sydney.

The start was made about 8 o'clock from Challis House, Moore-street. There were four non-starters, viz., Messrs. Gaut, Kiss, Nangle, and Sandford. The assemblage of so many cars attracted the interest of a large number of people, who remained in the vicinity until the last competitor moved away. Everything went smoothly and according to programme. The tour promises to be a most enjoyable as well as a highly instructive one.

Our Goulburn correspondent wired last night as follows:—

J. H. Sykes, who left Sydney at 8.5, was the first to arrive, he reaching Goulburn at 3.39. He took 7½ minutes crossing the Razorback, and had no punctures nor accidents, and has full points. He stopped 45 minutes for lunch. The official car was the second to arrive, but it did not do the full course. G. P. Innes, leaving at 8.35, came in second of the competitors at 4.4. He had a pleasant journey, his car running smoothly, and he lost no points. He passed three or four cars, and stopped once to pick up some tools which had been jolted out of another motor. The roads were in fair condition, but the ruts were not relished.

The third to arrive was A. A. Hunter, who left at 8.25, and reached Goulburn at 4.50. He did the Razorback in 9m 15s. J. Maillard was next. He left at 9.4, and arrived at 4.55. He also had a very good run, without accident. Pye arrived fifth at 5.2, having left at 9 a.m. Beyond the fact that the car had to stop a minute to allow a train to pass, there was nothing to report. H. K. Eaton retired at Moss Vale. He had to do nine miles into that town on the rims.

H. A. Hunter was the sixth to arrive. He left at 9.2, and completed the journey at 5.5. He stopped for 12 minutes to pump tyres. A. R. G. Sasse, who left at 8.40, arrived at 5.8, and he had an uneventful journey. I. Phizackerley, who left at 8.50, reached Goulburn at 5.35. Before reaching Marulan he lost 14 minutes over a puncture, and he took 10 minutes to negotiate the Razorback.

E. S. Turner, who left at 8 o'clock, and who arrived at 5.45, lost a tin of petrol, owing to a leak.

The above were the only cars in at 6 o'clock. A. J. Rabone left at 8.5 and arrived at 6.9. He lost time through a broken spring, and his lubricating bonnet had been broken, and he decided to retire.

A. J. Christie broke the spindle of his magneter 12 miles from Goulburn, losing half an hour, and having to unseal bonnet. He will, however, continue the contest. He left at 9.2 and arrived at 6.20. L. F. Thompson was in trouble near Berrima.

A. J. Christie, 25-h.p. Star; points lost, 42; running time, 8h 2m.

A. A. Hunter, 15-h.p. Minerva; full points; running time, 7h 41m.

H. A. Hunter, 38-h.p. Minerva; points lost, 10; running time, 7h 12m.

J. Maillard, 16-h.p. Bezier; full points, running time, 7h.

I. Phizackerley, 15-h.p. Talbot; points lost, 10; running time 8h 2m.

L. W. Pye, 20-h.p. Vauxhall; full points; running time, 7h.

A. R. G. Sasse, 12-h.p. Talbot; points lost, 10; running time, 7h 38m.

E. S. Turner (2 cyl.) 8-h.p. Renault; full points; running time, 8h 58m.

H. A. Hunter, Phizackerley, and Sasse lost 10 points through not driving their own car. Innes, 16-h.p. Vauxhall, and Sykes, 15-h.p. Talbot, were under the time limit. Eaton, 12-16 h.p. F.L., Rabone, 12-15 Fiat, and Thompson, 16-h.p. Humber, have retired.

The trial so far has been most successful. The results of the petrol test and hill-climbing cannot be ascertained until the cars return to Sydney. The two-cylinder car (E. S. Turner's Renault) will leave at 7.15 to-morrow, the four-cylinders under 20-h.p. at 8 o'clock, and 20-h.p. and over at 9. It is expected that the hill-climb at Bald Hill will take place about 2 o'clock, cars reaching the clubhouse, Sydney, at 4. The Mayor of Goulburn assisted the officials on arrival.

SHOT IN THE TEMPLE.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE IN HYDE PARK.

Edward Jochens, 29, a ship's mate, and a native of Germany, who gave his address as the American Bar, attempted to blow his brains out in Hyde Park shortly after midnight last night. James Brailey, of Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo, heard the report, and informed Constable W. E. Jones, of No. 1 station, who found Jochens near the kiosk in Hyde Park. He had a Brownie revolver in his hand, and was bleeding from a bullet-wound in the right temple. He was taken to Sydney Hospital, where it was found that the bullet had penetrated some distance. He was quite conscious, however, and able to walk. On being questioned he looked at his watch and remarked, with a marked German accent, "I thought I would have been in heaven by this time." Afterwards he related a story to the effect that he had been a mate on a German steamer, but as he got into debt with the company he was dismissed, and had to tramp the streets, trying to make a living as best he could. Being used to the freedom of sea life, he became despondent, and decided to blow his brains out.

"But," he concluded, with a laugh, "there must be a lot in what some people tell us. It was not to be."

LABOUR MANIFESTO.

THE CALL TO THE FAITHFUL.

"DEVELOP AUSTRALIA."

"BREAK DOWN LAND MONOPOLY."

The following manifesto has been issued by the Commonwealth Parliamentary Labour party, and is endorsed "Andrew Fisher, chairman, David Watkins, secretary, on behalf of the Labour party of Australia":—

Fellow Electors,—The third Parliament of the Commonwealth has been dissolved, and you are invited to elect a new one on April 13.

The issues to be decided at the forthcoming general election—in many respects the most important with which the citizens of the Commonwealth have yet had to deal—relate to finance in several of its most important aspects, defence, the tariff, industrial legislation, land monopoly, and monopolies in general, immigration and the development of Australia, the linking up of east and west, north and south by transcontinental railways, and to the imposition of further constitutional limitations upon the will of the people. And, transcending any or all of these, because in its settlement the character of the legislation dealing with all these great questions will be determined, you will be called upon to decide to whom shall be entrusted the reins of power for the next three years.

LABOUR OR FUSION?

Upon this everything turns. For as the difference between the parties is fundamental, so inevitably must be the character and administration of the laws for which they are responsible. There are, for the first time in the history of the Commonwealth, only two parties seeking your suffrage—the Labour party and the fusion. The circumstances that led up to the fusion of the two old parties are too fresh in the minds of the electors to need more than the briefest reference. The facts may be grouped under two heads. First, the amazing growth of the Labour party, which in less than 10 years has nearly doubled its members in the Parliament. Second, that betrayal of the electors, breaking of pledges, and abandonment of principles to which each section has professed lifelong adherence, which marked the formation of the fusion party.

BEGINNING AND END OF THE FUSION.

The electors have now to decide which party they will support. And we have no doubt what their decision will be. For ten years they have, in ever increasing numbers, turned from the old parties to ours. We have but to maintain that rate of increased support received at the last three elections to place us in power. The stream of public opinion flowing with increasing volume and speed in our direction, even when the two old parties professed principles to which they were pledged and remained faithful, is hardly likely to be diverted in order to ratify political treachery and to place in power men upon whose word no reliance can be placed. What they have done once, they will, if needs be, do again.

RECORD OF THE LABOUR PARTY.

We appeal with confidence to the electors for support upon our platform, which has been before the country for years, and to which we have always been faithful, and to our record as a party. An unscrupulous misrepresentation through the press and by other channels of work done in legislation and administration by us is one of the chief weapons of the fusion, some brief reference to the part we have played in laying the foundations of the Commonwealth seems not only appropriate but necessary.

A WHITE AUSTRALIA.

The establishment of the principles of a White Australia is largely due to the party's untiring advocacy. When the bill dealing with this question was before Parliament, we supported the amendment moved by Mr. Watson—only defeated by four votes—for the direct exclusion of all coloured aliens in preference to discrimination by way of the education test.

Still holding, ours the better way we have by sympathetic administration and amending legislation done everything within our power to make the present law effective. The measures providing for the abolition of kanaka labour, the encouragement of sugar growing by white labour, and the legislative restrictions upon wholesale importation of labour under contract, owe their presence on the Statute Book mainly to our insistent advocacy. These laws are of fundamental importance and, subject to sympathetic administration, go far towards assuring fair industrial conditions and the racial purity of Australia.

RESTRICTIONS OF PUBLIC BORROWING.

The foundations of a good system of finance have been laid at the initiation of the Labour party. That the Commonwealth is completing its first decade of existence without incurring one penny of debt is due to the resolute manner in which the party has opposed public borrowing. In 1902 Sir George Turner came down with a proposal to borrow half a million for general public purposes, but as a result of our opposition this was rejected. Our attitude on national borrowing has been sufficiently stated, but much misrepresentation makes it necessary to shortly repeat it here. We do not say these are no circumstances which may not justify borrowing of money by the State. For purposes of actual war, for emergencies of a great national character, or even for great national reproductive works, borrowing may be justifiable. But as a policy we condemn it; as an expedient to avoid taxing the wealthy and to surreptitiously impose revenue duties upon the people we shall always oppose it.

A FAIR AND REASONABLE WAGE.

The support of the principle of a fair and reasonable wage for all classes of labour has been one of the party's chief aims. In the Public Service Act, upon the motion of Mr. Tudor, a clause was inserted providing for the payment of £110 per annum as a minimum wage for adults of both sexes, and this is now operative over the whole of the Commonwealth Public Service.

NAVAL AND MILITARY DEFENCE.

Upon the great question of the defence of Australia the party has always been keenly alert. The present defence policy of the Commonwealth is almost wholly due to the efforts of members of the Labour party. The principle of compulsory universal military training for defence purposes, denounced, ridiculed, opposed, coquetted, and trifled with, and now the law of the Commonwealth, was first advocated in the Parliament as far back as 1906, by Mr. Hughes, through whose efforts the popularisation of the proposal in Parliament and outside is largely due. And it is to Mr. Watson that the present policy of naval defence owes its public formulation and its introduction into Parliament. The national conception of a Commonwealth prepared and ready to defend itself by sea and land was thus first put forward by the Labour party. And, what is of more importance, the Labour party not only first advocated but first gave practical effect to the present naval defence policy. To the Fisher Government belongs the credit of creating the nucleus of an Australian navy. In this connection we may point out that the defence policy of the present Government is the most obvious imitation of that of the Labour Government. It is effective only when it follows the lines laid down by us; it fails when it departs therefrom.

THE FUSION AND A NAVAL LOAN.

A word here is necessary as to the policy of the Fusion Government in the attempt to give effect to its naval policy by means of a loan. This principle we conceive to be both economically and financially unsound. It is neither good business nor good government. The greatest naval nation on earth has always resolutely set its face against such methods, and pays for the upkeep of army and navy out of revenue. The reason for the fusion's action in this matter is quite clear. It is a Government which, above all things, is determined to impose no taxation upon the wealthy, and so naturally takes a course which, avoiding this, is likely to find favour in the eyes of the great moneyed interests whom it in particular represents.

INDUSTRIAL LEGISLATION.

Turning to industrial matters, the record of the party is a noteworthy one. In addition to those measures which affect the industrial welfare of the people by excluding undesirable persons, we have endeavoured to improve, subject to the limits imposed by the Constitution and the position of parties, the status and conditions of the wage-earner in every way possible. The Federal Arbitration Act owes whatever of liberality there is in it to our efforts. We voted the Deakin Government out of office in order that the State servants might come under it. We went out of office ourselves rather than consent to its emasculation. We believe that its potentialities for good are very great, and if returned with a majority we shall make such amendments in it as will ensure fair and reasonable conditions to all classes of labour. The union label, which aimed by protecting a distinctive trade mark on goods made by union labour against piracy of unscrupulous competitors, and so ensuring the public against products of sweated labour, was introduced upon our initiative.

NEW PROTECTION.

The new protection policy, which has completely revolutionised existing ideas on protection, first assumed definite shape in a motion moved by Mr. Fisher in 1906. The Excise Act, the first measure in which new protection took statutory form, ensured to the workers in the agricultural implement industry a "fair and reasonable wage" for their labours. Unfortunately—as the result of our advocacy—the High Court decided that the

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Act was unconstitutional, and wages in this industry, in very many cases, have fallen to their old level.

FUSION AND NEW PROTECTION.

The position of the present Government upon new protection is vague, unsatisfactory, and inconsistent. While Mr. Deakin was supported by our party, his attitude on this question was completely opposed to his present one. Then he supported the policy advocated by the Labour party, and Mr. Cook denounced it. Mr. Deakin made new protection the chief issue of one election, and advocated with great fervour and more than usual eloquence. He said in effect that new protection was going to revolutionise the lot of mankind. After centuries of oppression and hardship, the worker was at last to come into his own. Protection was no longer to be the one-sided thing we have always known, but was to fall like the gentle dew of heaven upon worker and manufacturer alike. Mr. Cook heaped ridicule and scorn upon the proposal. For nearly three years Mr. Deakin held strongly by his policy, and Mr. Cook not less strongly by his opposition to it. Then came the Fusion, and principles were thrown into the melting pot or into the depths. Since the Fusion Mr. Deakin has thrown over without apology, explanation, or excuse, new protection as advocated by himself, and put forward a weak and palpably colourable imitation of Mr. Cook's own brilliant idea. The matter is to be referred to a mysterious and mythical body which, for some reason, Mr. Deakin terms a "Board of Trade." It is like no board of trade on earth, more properly it may be alluded to as a political Pooh-bah ambitious to secure jurisdiction over everybody, but reduced by the limitations of the Constitution to helpless impotence. It can only sit by consent of the States, and only act at their request, after identical legislation on the matter has been passed by every one of them. It would be easy to show that nothing could be more cumbrous, more unsatisfactory, or more farcical than this proposal; it is sufficient to point out that the practical difficulties, constitutional and political, in the way of creating such a body and arming it with the suggested powers are, humanly speaking, insuperable. When we contrast Mr Deakin's original memorandum on new protection with his present declaration, we see how far he has departed from his former policy, and how very little reliance is to be placed on his public promises.

We wish to emphasise in the most positive way the difference between our policy and that of the Fusion in this matter. With us the new protection is not dependent upon the consent of the States or upon their legislation; nor upon the erratic decisions of a mythical Board of Trade; nor of any other product of the vivid imagination of Mr. Deakin. We believe that in the Arbitration Court we have a means already to our hand which can be made to ensure to the worker in every industry, protected and unprotected—in cases where State law is insufficient—such a share of the benefits of the tariff as will at least enable him to get a "fair and reasonable wage."

Mr. Deakin's scheme of referring the whole matter to a Board of Trade, which cannot under any circumstances deal with any but interstate operations—a fractional part of the total—unless and until the States consent and give legislative sanction, is on the face of it only a convenient way of shelving the whole matter, is enthusiastically supported by the Employers' Federation and the great vested interests of the Commonwealth, and will not impose for a moment upon the electors of the Commonwealth.

SURPLUS REVENUE AND OLD-AGE PENSIONS.

Leaving industrial matters, we turn now to the actions of the party in the financial sphere. Here a word or two on the Surplus Revenue Act seems called for. When Sir William Lyne introduced his bill its scope was not extensive. It was a measure which aimed at doing no more than appropriating the surplus revenue of any one year for naval defence purposes and for some improvements in the Postal service. That it was made generally available for all purposes was due to Mr. Fisher, who first realised the enormous potentialities of the measure. It is not too much to say that to the Surplus Revenue Act the Commonwealth owes its comparatively independent position to-day, that a practical scheme of naval defence is being carried out, and that Commonwealth old-age pensions have been paid at least 18 months earlier.

No measure more sharply divided the two sections in the Federal Parliament. In the division list on the Surplus Revenue Act are seen grouped on the one side all those who believed in the national aspirations and greatness of Australia, and on the other those who, disguised as "State righters," stood for parochialism, privilege, and reaction. Of those who compose the Fusion to-day the great bulk voted against the bill, and thus against old-age pensions, since only by these means could they be paid. But in this they only acted in conformity with their general policy, for in a hundred ways they have shown clearly that they dominate the Fusion, which, masquerading as "Liberal," is parochial and reactionary.

PUBLIC SERVANTS' RIGHTS.

Amongst other important reforms which the party has made may be mentioned the removal of those unjust and irritating restrictions upon the exercise of their political rights by Commonwealth public servants. The citizen who chances to be an officer employed by the Commonwealth stands now on exactly the same level as if he were employed by a private firm.

FEDERAL CAPITAL SITE.

The Federal capital site question—after having been dangled in the air for years by successive governments—was settled by the Fisher Government, the first resolute enough to make the matter a Cabinet question, and so ensure its passage through the Parliament.

THE DREADNOUGHT SCARE.

Upon the two occasions Labour has held office its administration has extorted praise even from its most determined opponents. That hostile criticism was, and is, silent, is a still better proof that it did well. Upon the question of naval defence, upon which a wave of press-manufactured hysteria threatened to sweep through the land, the Fisher Government stood firm, put forward a policy dignified, sensible, and patriotic, a policy which it believed to be truly Australian, and therefore truly Imperial, and gave effect to it by ordering the construction of three ships as a nucleus for the Australian Navy. Time has amply proved the Fisher Government to be in the right. The Dreadnought scare is dead; the experts of the Empire have approved our scheme. The record—which might easily be much amplified—of what the Labour party has actually done speaks for itself. The legislative foundations ensuring racial purity, national defence, fair industrial conditions, and equal political freedom for all have been well and truly laid. We do not assert others have done nothing. We do contend that, without us, these things would probably never have been attempted, certainly never accomplished.

FEDERAL-STATE FINANCE.

We come now to the consideration of the financial relations between the States and the Commonwealth. The fusion has made this and unification the chief issue in their appeal to the electors. They declare Federation to be in danger, and declare that our object is to substitute unification in its place. They have forced their financial scheme through the Parliament, silencing the Opposition by the gag and terrorising their own supporters who wished to vote against it by threats of striking them off their ticket. They insist that it shall be embodied in their Constitution, and ask the people to support them. Every force of vested interest and reaction stands behind them. Attempts are industriously being made to blind the people to the real nature of the issue submitted. It is alleged that our party is opposed to the true interests of the States, that it desires unification, and is determined to aggrandise the Commonwealth at all hazards. There is not one atom of truth in such assertions. We have always shown the liveliest interest in the welfare of the States, and defy our opponents to point to one act of ours directed against them.

"Fiscalism in danger" was the cry of the first two elections. "The destruction of religion and desecration of home life" the bogey of the last. These failed; a better was not available, and so "unification" is put forward in the hope that it may scare the timid voter.

When it is alleged that we wish to take the whole of the Customs and excise revenue and give the States nothing, we point to two facts that conclusively repudiate such a statement. One, the scheme of the Brisbane Labour Conference, which the Fusion Government has made the basis of its own, was the first bona-fide and practical proposal put forward by any party in this connection. In that scheme a minimum payment to the States of £5,000,000 per annum is suggested, the per capita idea approved, and the distribution of any further surplus endorsed. To these principles we have always been favourable, and they have formed the basis of every proposal made by us for dealing with this matter. And, second, Mr. Fisher, when delivering the Ministerial policy at Gympie last year, offered the States a £5,000,000 minimum per annum, decreasing on a sliding scale, and an extra £250,000 for Western Australia, together with the distribution of any further surplus. Both of these proposals give an effective and complete answer to the charge that we wish to deprive the States of their fair share of revenue from Customs and excise, or that we are unificationists.

MAJORITY RULE.

It is not the rights of the States nor federalism which are in jeopardy on this occasion, but the right of the people to govern themselves. It is in support of this right, fundamental and going to the very roots of democratic government, that we oppose the fusion policy. We take no exception to the amount to be paid to the States, nor to the method of its distribution. These, in fact, are suggestions we ourselves first made public. Our objection lies against the proposal to embody the scheme permanently in the Constitution. To that we are opposed. Upon the principle that the people have a right to govern themselves free of all restrictions we take our stand. Neither autocracy nor "the rule of the dead hand" ought to trammel the purposes of a free people when expressed through the ballot box.

If the people choose to permit the present proposal to remain for generations unchanged they are entitled to do it. If they desire a change, on the other hand, opportunity should be given to them to effect it. Our objection to the Ministerial proposal is that if once placed in the Constitution it may be kept there indefinitely by a small minority against the wish of an overwhelming majority of the people of Australia. For this reason we ask the people to reject the proposal.

THE TEN YEARS' GUARANTEE.

We have been told that some guarantee of reasonable stability of this arrangement is due to the States. We do not deny the reasonableness of such a demand, and have always been prepared to concede it. And we are prepared to give a guarantee that, for a period of ten years, we will do nothing to disturb the proposed arrangement. At the end of that period, if Parliament so decides, the matter may be submitted to a simple referendum of the people to determine whether the scheme should be accepted for a further period. In this way an effective assurance of stability would be assured to the States, the financial arrangements of the Commonwealth fixed for a definite period, and the rights of the people to make what laws they please remain unimpaired.

PROGRESSIVE LAND TAX.

Land monopoly is the curse of Australia. With immense areas of fertile land within reasonable distance of great centres of population, blessed with a regular rainfall, sufficient to support 50 millions of people in comfort, a population of less than five millions cannot obtain land for its own limited requirements. The foundation of all national greatness and prosperity must rest upon some form of agricultural or pastoral pursuits. In the Commonwealth nearly 80 per cent. of the people live in towns, over 50 per cent. are crowded in the six capital cities of the several States. Such conditions are unnatural; they make for degeneration, they invite disaster, they make healthy progress impossible. We must get the bulk of the people on the land. To do that we must kill land monopoly. If we do not destroy land monopoly it will surely destroy us.

IMMIGRATION.

Very much has been lately said about immigration, and the need for a rapid increase of population. And no doubt this is very necessary. We want more people to develop Australia; we want more people to help us to defend it. But it is useless and even dangerous to invite people to a country unless we make preparations to receive them. In the overcrowded cities immigrants are a drug on the labour market, a menace to the worker, a burden on the community. They create no new wealth, benefit no one, not even themselves, and by the reports of their misfortune give the country a bad name. But settled on the land, every white immigrant may be welcomed with open arms; he is an asset to the nation's wealth, an additional guarantee of the nation's safety.

Land monopoly then bars the road to a policy of successful immigration, imperils our national safety, retards our development, threatens our very existence. But land monopoly is a Upas tree—its deadly roots are firmly embedded in the earth. It is not to be uprooted by fine speeches or a rose-water policy. During the last few years it has flourished unchecked. We have only dallied and paltered with the matter. Orations by Mr. Deakin and closer settlement schemes by State Governments have been equally ineffective. Large estates are growing to-day faster than the closer settlement schemes are cutting them up. Their effect is like attempting to bale the ocean with a sieve, and something much more drastic must be resorted to.

NATIONALISATION OF MONOPOLIES.

The nationalisation of monopolies demands the urgent attention of the people. It may be admitted that trusts and combines have not yet attained the same giant proportions in Australia as elsewhere, but, notwithstanding our youth, the capitalistic system is developing here upon the same general lines. Already we have in Australia the sugar monopoly, the tobacco combine, the coastal shipping ring, the coal vend, and various minor business combinations of a character detrimental to the public. In 1907 the Federal Parliament passed an Act to restrain trusts and combines. Although supporting that measure, we expressed our conviction that it would fail to effect its object. In America similar legislation has failed. The experience of America shows that nothing short of nationalisation of these monopolies will prevent their exploitation of the public.

There is in our opinion but one practicable remedy, and that is a graduated tax upon unimproved land values. If returned with a majority we shall impose a tax upon estates of the unimproved value of £5000 and over (in the case of absentees there will be no exemption), beginning at 1d in the £, and rising by the gradations necessary to make it effective.

The future of Australia hangs upon the result of the forthcoming election. Whether land monopoly should exist and flourish, safely sheltered within the citadels of vested interests, the Legislative Councils of Australia, or be shattered at one blow, depends upon the votes of the people.

To ensure the development of our great resources, the speedy peopling of our vacant lands, the effective defence of our country, land monopoly must be destroyed. Under the regime of the old parties land monopoly has grown up, flourishes, and sleeps secure. Only a Labour Government can and will destroy it.

We firmly believe that, given sufficient facilities for land settlement, no country on earth has a greater future before it than Australia. If returned with a majority we shall make this question, upon which the development, defence, and well-being of Australia absolutely depend, our first measure.

DEFENCE.

Upon this question our attitude has been already stated. We are firm believers in the principle of compulsory universal training for defence, sufficiently applied to all able-bodied adults of certain ages, and not restricted to boys and youths, as in the fusion scheme.

Upon naval defence our attitude is clearly indicated by the policy of the Fisher Government, which resulted in the creation of an Australian navy.

NAVIGATION.

We are pledged to a comprehensive measure of reform of the navigation laws; to provide for the protection of Australian shipping against unfair competition, efficient manning of all vessels, proper accommodation for passengers and seamen, and effective survey to ensure seaworthiness.

FIGHTING PLATFORM.

With the items already mentioned our platform includes:—

1. Maintenance of White Australia.
2. The new protection.
3. Nationalisation of monopolies.
4. Graduated tax on unimproved land values.
5. Citizen defence force.
6. Commonwealth Bank.
7. Restriction of public borrowing.
8. Navigation laws.
9. Arbitration Act amendment.
10. Insurance, including insurance against unemployment.

Under one name or another the different functions of the old regime have ruled Australia since constitutional government was granted. The progressive legislation of recent years is due, not to them, but to the influence—Parliamentary and educational—of the Labour party. We now ask the electors to give us a majority to break down land monopoly, develop Australia, give effect to our platform, and administer our laws.

DISTURBANCE AT YASS.

BLACKS v SHOWMEN.

YASS, Friday.

Yesterday afternoon, at half-past 6 o'clock, after the public had left the show ground, the police cleared the blacks off on account of some disturbance with the showmen, who had been running a boxing contest.

The blacks watched the police leave the ground, when they returned and went to the boxing tent. A row took place between the blacks and the boxing fraternity, including "Snowy" Flynn, Jack Willis, Fullerton, and Sam Maber. Strong language was used, blows were struck, and a general free fight took place. Bottles, stones, sticks, and tent poles were freely used. Fullerton was seen to fall, and never moved. As soon as it was seen that Fullerton was seriously injured the blacks bolted, and the pugilists went to the tent, and, according to Mrs. Fullerton, her husband was left lying on the ground, until she went up and found he was dead. The police were soon on the scene, and found Fullerton dead, with his face covered with blood, which was flowing freely from a wound behind his right ear. Flynn was covered in blood, and had a large scalp wound on the head, necessitating 20 stitches. The third man has had to have his head dressed. He is suffering from a severe scalp wound.

The blacks, who are all in gaol, are much knocked about. Geebung and Carroll are much cut about the face, while Bell has a wrist broken and seems to have had a rough time.

The inquest started to-day, and has been adjourned until to-morrow. Fullerton, the man who has been killed, was arrested on Wednesday evening and charged with watch-stealing. He was brought up yesterday, and remanded on bail to appear to-day at 10 o'clock.

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TEMPERANCE RALLY.

THE VOICE OF METHODISM.

MEETING AT LYCEUM HALL.

Methodists in the metropolis assembled last evening at the Lyceum Hall in full force to show their sympathy with the no-license campaign and their antipathy to the liquor traffic. Mr. Joseph Vickery presided, and on the platform were a large number of clergymen from all the evangelical denominations.

The Chairman stated that he believed that all the Churches were the mortal enemies of the drink traffic. All judges, police officers, and leaders of philanthropic thought knew there was scarcely a tragedy in the State but the drink traffic had something to do with it. From this meeting they wanted a clarion note to go forth to every electorate. The Methodist Church had nailed the flag of no-license to the masthead. They wanted the Liquor Act Amended so that the bare majority should rule. (Applause.) The Labour Party was not the ally of the Churches in the fight against drink. The labour leaders should know the evils of this traffic, yet they did all in their power to prevent the passing of the Liquor Act. (Applause.)

Rev. R. B. S. Hammond said that in New Zealand there were 185,000 people who did not believe in no license, but there were 229,000 who did. (Hear, hear.) But in New Zealand there had been no set-back to no license. There might be a backwash, but the great stream of no license was sweeping on to victory. He did not believe in the pessimistic prophesies that opponents issued about the results of no license. In Invercargill they had only five convictions for sly-grog selling in 12 months, yet in Surry Hills recently they had nine convictions in two weeks. Clutha had only one conviction. He scorned the argument that the drunkard was a revenue producer, and concluded with a condemnation of the drink curse and its baneful effects on home life.

Rev. Harold Wheen was satisfied that the State had at last realised the evil of the drink traffic, which had got notice to quit. At the first poll the trade was hit hard, but it would be hit harder in the future. Already a majority was secured in 13 electorates, while in 30 electorates more votes were cast for no license than for continuance. He failed to understand the attitude of the Labour Party on this question, for the working men were going over to no license. (Applause.) He moved.—"That it is both impolitic and wrong for the State to afford legislative sanction and encouragement to any traffic or system that wastes national resources, retards the cause of religion, fosters pauperism and crime, promotes immorality and vice, and destroys the health, the happiness, and lives of the people; that in view of the widespread evils resulting from the licensing system, notwithstanding the restrictive provisions of recent legislation, and of the immense importance of legally reducing the facilities for obtaining drink, this meeting pledges itself, and very earnestly calls upon members and adherents of the Methodist Church, and upon all patriotic citizens, to employ every possible effort to make the approaching no-license poll effective in all parts of the State." (Applause.)

Mr. A. H. Purcell made an appeal for funds for the coming campaign. They fought for the rising generation.

Mr. Complin, secretary of the New South Wales Alliance, seconded the motion, and said that drink was the worst home-breaker that the English-speaking race knew of. John Burns had computed that one hotel turned out, on the average, six paupers, one criminal and one lunatic. Drink was the greatest enemy of national efficiency.

The motions were carried unanimously.

Professor Clouston, D.D., brought greetings from the New South Wales Alliance, and voiced the appreciation of that body for the work the Methodist Church in the cause of temperance.

DIED TOGETHER.

HUSBAND SHOOTS WIFE.

AFTERWARDS COMMITS SUICIDE.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

A shocking domestic tragedy was enacted this afternoon at Railway-place, Newmarket. John William Kennedy, a journeyman saddler, shot his wife, Mary Ann Sarah Kennedy, and immediately placed a revolver to his own head and shot himself.

The only actual witness of the tragedy was the little daughter of the couple, Muriel, aged 7 years. "Father came home this afternoon," she said to-night, "and he was speaking to mother in the passage. I heard a bang, and I got frightened and ran out. Mother ran out of the back door."

This fragmentary story of the child is borne out by the statements of neighbours. Mr. Charles Chapman, who lives next door, told to-night what he knew of the affair. "I was coming up the street with Wallie Burns," he said, "when I saw little Muriel Kennedy climb over the fence in front of her mother's house, and run down the street. The little girl screamed out to me that her mother had been shot, and I at once ran to the police station and told Sergeant O'Sullivan, who came back with me."

When Sergeant O'Sullivan reached the scene of the tragedy he found the body of Mrs. Kennedy lying near the back gate, with a long open wound above the left eye. Sergeant O'Sullivan went into the house warily to search for Kennedy. He discovered him in the dining-room, with a bullet wound in the right temple. Both husband and wife were dead when the sergeant arrived on the scene. Beside Kennedy's body lay a cheap six-chambered revolver, of which two chambers had been discharged.

Kennedy apparently had not been long in the house before he carried out the purpose, which he had evidently premeditated. It was just after 5 o'clock when the tragedy took place. Mrs. Dean, a sister of Mrs. Kennedy, was staying in the house, and she left at 4.15 p.m. to catch a train. Kennedy had been at the house during the morning, and said to Mrs. Dean to-night, "He was as nice as he could be. He asked for a drink of water, and talked for a while, and then went away."

The story of the domestic life of the Kennedys is a painful record of bickering, followed by a separation, and culminating in the tragedy of to-day. Neighbours of the ill-fated couple state that they were continually quarrelling. About three months ago they decided to separate, Kennedy agreeing to pay his wife a weekly allowance; but his wife had taken out a summons against him for arrears, and the case was to have come on for hearing at the local court on Monday. Kennedy, according to the story of his acquaintances, was of a fiery and jealous disposition, and believed he had grounds for the jealousy; while Mrs. Kennedy is said to have entertained similar ideas about her husband. It was this mutual mistrust which led to their separation. After they had parted Kennedy was to come once a week to the house to see the children, of whom there are two, Ralph, aged 11, and Muriel. Though he had always been a sober, steady man, Kennedy had taken to drink since the separation from his wife, and appeared during the last week or two to be moody and preoccupied. Apparently he had brooded over his trouble till he came to the desperate resolve which led him to his wife's home to-day.

BIRTLES OFF TO-DAY.

Francis Birtles, the overland cyclist, starts on another transcontinental ride this afternoon. Birtles, who will be given a send-off at the rooms of the Sydney Bicycle Club, leaves at 2 o'clock, and intends to travel all round Australia on one of Anthony Horderns' Universal bicycles. His route will be to Brisbane, via the North Coast, thence through central Queensland and round the coast to Perth. Birtles is riding the identical machine that carried him so successfully from Perth to Sydney last year.

EFFECTIVE FINGER PRINTS.

A burglar recently convicted at Darlinghurst Sessions for housebreaking, requested the Judge to deal lightly with him, as he had never before been in gaol. He was sentenced to five years, the Judge remarking that if his statement proved true he would consider reducing the term. The Criminal Investigation Department took the matter in hand, and the prisoner's finger prints were circulated throughout the world. According to replies received he had served one sentence in England, seven in Germany, and was wanted in New Zealand for a burglary. The Judge had been informed of the result, and the man is likely to serve his full time.

PREFERENCE TO UNIONISTS.

STRIKE IN NEW ZEALAND.

AUCKLAND, Friday.

Twenty-five floor hands struck at the Southdown Freezing Works for higher wages, and preference to unionists. The slaughtermen have been thrown out in consequence, and state they will not resume if the places of the strikers are filled by non-unionists.

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AMUSEMENTS.

THE NEW PRIMA DONNA.

In a biographical sketch of Bel Sorel, the prima donna of the J. C. Williamson grand opera company, a continental newspaper remarks that her mother, Emma Sorel, was almost as renowned a singer as herself. Emma Sorel, however, was a concert artist, and toured Norway, Sweden, and Denmark, taking her daughter, at the time aged eight, as solo pianist. The wunderkind also played at concerts in Germany, where later on (in Berlin) she studied voice culture under the celebrated Bulow. This was in the singer's early teens. Her progress was so marked and her musical intelligence so quick that her mother decided that she should be trained for opera, and so took her to Paris, and afterwards to Milan. In the Italian city she won the notice of Edoardo Sonzogno, a prominent impresario, who immediately decided to entrust to her the part of Mimi in Leoncavallo's "Boheme," which work was produced with great success at the Lyric in the same city. So marked was the young artist's personal success that she was retained for Mignon, Nozze di Figaro, Manon e Pagliacci—all at the Lyric. She was now thoroughly launched on her career, and at Trieste won further golden opinions in Manon and Massenet's "Cendrillon," the composer sending her his photograph on which he wrote, "Gloire a vous, divine et charmante Cendrillon." Then followed for Bel Sorel important engagements in Rome and Turin, and a return to the Lyric as Carlotta in Massenet's "Werther," again to triumph. A season at the Imperial Theatre, Warsaw, enabled her to appear as Mimi to Caruso's Rudolph in Puccini's "La Boheme," Carmen to the famous tenor's Don Jose, and Violetta to his Alfred. It is noteworthy that the two artists were equally starred. Her press cuttings record her visits to the chief capitals of Europe, including Madrid, where her Carmen was proclaimed "inimitable, full of fascination, and dramatic power." Puccini has expressed his delight at the fact that so brilliant an artist will introduce his beloved "Madame Butterfly" to Australian audiences.

MR. T. J. WEST'S RETURN.

Mr. T. J. West, who left Australia in May, 1908, to resume the direction of his biograph business from his headquarters, at Piccadilly Mansions, London, returned here yesterday to confer with his general manager, Mr. Edwin Geach, and brought with him the good news that very shortly he hopes to introduce moving pictures in natural colours. The new process, perfected by Chas. Urban and Albert Smith, is far in advance of anything yet achieved in colour-photography, without movement, and for some time past the new colour-pictures have been successfully shown at the Palace Theatre, London. Already the inventors have sold their rights for immense sums to theatrical managers in Paris, Berlin, Brussels, Lyons, Buenos Ayres, and Rio Janiero, and by October similar arrangements will have been made for New York and the chief centres of the United States. Mr. West himself has been in a position to bid high for the privileges of colour-cinematography, as he has picture-halls in Edinburgh, Blyth, Burton-on-Trent, Reading, Guildford, Bournemouth, and Jersey. In Australasia he permanently leases some of the largest and most up-to-date picture halls and theatres in the world, notably the Glaciarium, Sydney; West's Palace, Melbourne; the Olympia, Adelaide; the new Olympia, Brisbane; the King's Theatres, Wellington and Christchurch, both opening at Easter; Queen's Hall, Perth; Her Majesty's Theatres, at Kalgoorlie and Bendigo; and Town Hall, Fremantle, supplemented by a circuit of other cities. As regards cinematography in the United Kingdom, Mr. West reports a great advance in every direction, picture-shows being now the vogue in the smallest towns, whilst on the London Stock Exchange large new ventures are frequently launched, and readily subscribed to. Mr. West remarks of the Commonwealth series of pictures that they have been warmly welcomed by the public on this side, and should prove of great value as an advertisement for Australia in England, in which connection he has given orders for them to be exhibited at all his theatres. The Dominion of Canada is now issuing a third series of such pictures, one of which illustrates the building of the extension of the Grand Trunk Railway, and in this manner immigrants are freely secured. During the past two years the entrepreneur has completed arrangements for the latest films with the great firms of London, Paris, Berlin, and New York, and so will have no difficulty in maintaining a regular supply. Mr. West, who is looking remarkably well, will be back in London again later in the present year.

MR. HUGH WARD'S FAREWELL.

Mr. Hugh J. Ward closed his long and prosperous season at the Palace Theatre last night, which has lasted since Christmas, with a final performance of "The Man from Mexico." The house was crowded, and the favourite actor-manager enjoyed a great send-off of laughter and applause throughout the evening, in which Miss Grace Palotta and the other artists of the company fully shared. This evening Mr. Ward will open for a few performances at Newcastle, after which the whole company will travel straight through to Adelaide. His stay in South Australia will be extended by visits to Broken Hill and other centres, so that he will not open in Melbourne at the Princess's Theatre until the end of May, when his new pieces will be "Glittering Gloria" and "The Girl from Rector's." After the curtain had fallen upon "The Man from Mexico" there was a scene of renewed enthusiasm, and all the ladies of the company were presented with flowers. In response to insistent calls for "a speech," Mr. Ward at last came forward, thanked the audience on behalf of Miss Palotta and the other artists for their kind treatment throughout the long season in Sydney, where they always felt so much at home, and facetiously suggested them to save on some of their money for his return season next Christmas. Cheers and laughter greeted the comedian's remarks, the house being evidently in holiday mood.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.

"A Waltz Dream" continues to draw packed audiences at Her Majesty's Theatre, where, however, the final performances are announced for Wednesday afternoon and evening next. Playgoers will not lose sight of this charming work at once, nor of the Royal Comic Opera Company, as on Thursday the run will be continued until March 17 at the Theatre Royal.

THEATRE ROYAL.

At present Mr. J. C. Williamson has closed the Royal for alterations. There are to be extra rows of reserved stalls, set wider apart, and made larger, after the style of armchairs; the dress circle seats are to be regraded, so that the two exits will be brought directly opposite the aisles, and the walls are to be redecorated; so that when "Madame Butterfly" is produced, at Easter, operagoers will enjoy the benefit of these improvements.

CRITERION THEATRE.

"The Merchant of Venice," with its beautiful tableaux and exquisite costumes, forming in themselves a series of colour contrasts that delight the eye, brings forward Mr. Oscar Asche in his strong and original impersonation of Shylock, and playgoers are crowding the Criterion Theatre in their desire to witness this sterling revival of Shakespeare's great comedy. Miss Lily Brayton, having happily recovered from her recent indisposition, reappeared as Portia last night, playing the part with all her accustomed vivacity and success.

"ALADDIN" PANTOMIME.

The "Aladdin" pantomime, which has been running in Melbourne since Christmas, is now on its way to Sydney, some 200 tons of scenery, and nearly 250 people, due here by train to-morrow, forming the transport order in front of the various heads of departments. The J. C. Williamson principals will include Mr. Harry Phydora, back from England, as the Widow Twankey, Miss Lily Iris, a new principal boy, as Aladdin; Miss Clara Berk, a new principal girl; and Mr. Bob Barry, a new comedian from America, as the Chinese Magician. There are also many favourites from previous combinations. Messrs. Victor Loydall, J. M. Campbell, W. Hasan, R. Watson, Rupert Darrell, Clyde Cook, Misses Nance Maher, Stella Selbourne, Marie Eaton, and Addie Hine are all to the fore, whilst Messrs. Price and Revost will be seen in their popular "falling" act. Amongst the spectacular features will be the beautiful Australian Bird Ballet, the sensational Fire Ballet, the "Living Flag of Australia," the "Moving Train Illusions," the "March of Flowers," and various ballets. Plan arrangements are duly notified.

PALACE THEATRE.

"The Luck of Roaring Camp," a new melodrama, founded upon Bret Harte's story of mining life in California, will be produced at the Palace Theatre to-night for the return season of Mr. George Marlow's Dramatic Company. New tableaux by Mr. Ray Phillips will show the Devil's Gorge in the Rockies, the track through the pine forest to the mountain camp, the underground cave, Widow O'Flynn's on a festive night, and other scenes. Miss Ethel Buckley as Nell Curtis and Mr. Kenneth Hunter as Will Gordon will be associated with Miss Nellie Ferguson, Messrs. Harry Diver, Harry Norman, Wilton Welch, and other artists of the company. There will be matinees on Wednesday throughout the season. Mr. Christie Simonsons, so long with the Bland Holt Company, is business manager.

TIVOLI THEATRE.

This afternoon and evening, at the Tivoli Theatre, Mr. Harry Rickards' new entertainment will bring forward that facile musical genius and humourist, Vasco, star acrobatic acts by Wille Brothers, and also by Alexandra and Bertie, Olga Grey, Lillie Langtry, Kelly and Kingston in comedy, Bert Terrell, Post Mason, Tom Dawson, Harry Marte, Miss Dorothy Forbes, and other favourite artists of a strong combination.

NATIONAL AMPHITHEATRE.

At the National Amphitheatre, both at the matinee and in the evening, the new programme will comprise Hanco, the handcuff king; Wise and Milton, the American Redskins; Verne Brothers, American comedians and dancers; Pearl Livingstone, serio and dancer; and more than a score of performers, who have already won acceptance. There will be new Miorama pictures. A complete change is notified for Saturday next.

THE A.V.A. BENEFIT MATINEE.

The Australian Vaudeville Association is to be accorded an elaborate benefit matinee at the Tivoli Theatre on Monday, March 21. The entertainment, in which all the leading managers and principal artists of the city will co-operate, will be under vice-regal patronage. A central feature will be the reappearance on the stage of the popular actor, Mr. Walter Bentley, who will play for the first time here the character of Felix O'Callaghan in "His Last Legs," assisted by the students of his dramatic club.

LYCEUM.—SPENCER'S THEATRESCOPE.

Mr. Charles Spencer will reopen the Lyceum permanently this afternoon and evening (trams stopping as notified elsewhere), when an inaugural programme of new star films will include the American drama, "Castro's Last Stand," the various sensational phases of "The Floods in Paris," the romantic story "The Judgment," the Belgian training-ship Ibis, and the latest comic episodes.

GLACIARIUM.—WEST'S PICTURES.

At the Glaciarium, both at the matinee and in the evening, Mr. T. J. West's new star films will comprise "Little Italy," "Faust," and "The Yellow Devil" dramas, three splendid sets showing "The Paris Floods," "The Pagodas of Beautiful Burmah," and "The Microbe of Sleeping Sickness," and such comic incidents as "Giddy's Revenge," "A Good Lesson," and "How to Get Thin." Mr. Lewis de Groen's Vice-Regal Band will play.

THE BIJOU THEATRE PICTURES.

At the Bijou, this afternoon and evening, the new budget of pictures will include the military scene, "Held by the Enemy;" the comic themes, "A Cure for Cowardice," "Why They Got Married," and "A Late Guest;" the dramatic account of "The Japanese Invasion," the detective story of "The Diamond Tiara," the story of "Dorothy's Car," and the pathetic subject "Fantine."

CLAY'S VAUDEVILLE COMPANY.

At the Royal Standard Theatre this evening, Mr. Harry Clay's Vaudeville Company will present new songs, dances, and moving pictures. The new artists will include Will Bisby (comedian) and Dolly Stoneham (serio and dancer), whilst the Rogers Quartet and other favourites remain in the bill. The regular suburban circuit will be carried out next week as notified.

TOWN HALL ORGAN RECITALS.

This evening the city organist will give the third of his series of Wagnerian recitals at the Town Hall, when some especially fine compositions and popular pieces will be rendered. Mr. Ernest Truman's programme will include the Vorspiel and Liebestod from "Tristan and Isolde," "The Rhine Maidens and Siegfried" from "Gotterdammerung," "The Forging of the Sword" ("Siegfried"), the "Magic Fire" ("Valkyrie"), "The Awakening" ("Siegfried"), and the overture to "Tannhauser."

There will be another recital at 3.15 p.m. to-morrow.

MR. GODFREY LUDLOW.

News reaches Dr. Buxton Ludlow, of this city, of the good progress made by his son Godfrey, a youthful violinist of promise who has been studying for about a year past under Professor Sevcik, at Prague, Bohemia. This young player has done so well that he has been engaged for a tour, and has been appearing with success at Constantinople, Athens, Cyprus, Cairo, Alexandria, Algiers, Trieste, and Vienna.

MISS N. M'DONNELL'S CONCERT.

The students of Miss Nellie M'Donnell will give their annual concert in the Leichhardt Town Hall on Monday, when Miss Thelma Hanlon will sing, Mr. A. Martin will assist, and a feature in the programme will be the double trios, with full orchestral accompaniment.

MISS MYRA GRESTY'S RECITAL.

Miss Myra Gresty, hitherto known as a clever pianist, will be reintroduced as a lyric soprano on Tuesday evening next, when she will give an invitation concert at the Y.M.C.A. Hall. Miss Gresty, who may be relied upon for a musically interesting programme, will be associated with Miss Violet Balmain and Mr. F. Mowat Carter. The plan is at Paling's.

RANDWICK MUSICAL SOCIETY.

On Wednesday evening next the Randwick District Musical Society will give a concert at the Randwick Town Hall, under the conductorship of Mr. G. G. Park, when attractive choral and orchestral numbers will be supplemented by solos and operatic scenas by Miss Amy Murphy, Miss Nellie Carroll, and Mr. Winslow Knight.

MISS RUBY ISABEL MICHAEL.

On Thursday evening next, at the Y.M.C.A. Hall, Miss Ruby Isabel Michael will give a concert under Mayoral patronage, at which the assisting artists will be Misses Mab Fotheringham, Irene Jay, Messrs. Brenan Marsden, W. Moses, George S. Holburn, and the clever child pianists Betty and Charlie Tuckwell. The young lyric soprano will render several attractive numbers. The plan is at Nicholson's.

MR. S. MARTIN MORTLOCK'S RECITAL.

Mr. S. Martin Mortlock will give an invitation pianoforte recital at St. James's Hall on Tuesday evening, March 15, when some of his senior students will also appear. The assisting artists will be Misses Mab Fotheringham, Margaret Dallen, Susie Broad, Mary Ballantyne, and Mr. Arme Darvall. The plan is at Nicholson's.

THE BOYS' BRIGADE.

The usual monthly entertainment at the Boys' Brigade, Fitzroy-street, Surry Hills, was provided on March 3 by Mr. J. Benson-Lees, of the Sydney Magicians' Society, assisted by Messrs. Eric and A. W. Stewart. The entertainer fairly bewildered the youngsters in a long and varied exposition of magic and mystery. Miss Benson-Lees acted as accompanist.

ANGLING.

A GOOD PERCH.

A perch of the lean and hungry variety, but of substantial proportions, was caught on rod and fly in the Nepean last week-end by Mr. J. S. Paterson. The fish was 19½in long, and weighed a shade over 4lb. It rose to a Jock Scott fly in the twilight, and gave its captor a good fight before being netted. Mr. Paterson also caught some fair perch near the old bridge. Local anglers use the natural bait chiefly, and often catch perch of good size and condition. Visitors have, however, familiarised local anglers with the results achieved by the use of artificial flies and spinners.

Messrs. E. C. Artis, W. J. Atkin, and G. Hollingdale, who recently spent a few days at Tuggerah, found the whiting come on well after a week's quietness. They noted that the ocean beaches were fishable for flathead, and that in the evenings it was advisable to try the same places for sea whiting and black bream. Altogether, the fishing at and near the lake was very good.

News from Cowan Creek shows that the fishing has been very patchy. Near Windybank's some fine flathead have been caught, and a few men camped at Jerusalem Bay have struck jewfish of large size, which have broken their tackle. Several jewfish under 10lb were caught. Near Coal and Candle a set liner caught an 18lb schnapper and a couple of smaller ones. It is rather early to expect the large schnapper in Cowan.

A novel natural bait was used for the capture of kingfish recently at Curl Curl by Dr. H. L. Maitland, F. L. Tompson, and other anglers fishing from the shore. It consisted of wirrahs, which were caught close in to the rocks, and used whole. The wirrah is one of the most attractive looking fishes found in the rock pools of the coast, but it has a remarkable tough skin, and is rarely carried home by anglers, except those who cannot catch anything else. Such a bait for kingfish must be well-nigh irresistible, and the idea of using the fish for bait solves the problem of what to do with the wirrah.

An instance of the communistic idea carried out in a pleasant way in a fishing camp may be noticed on one of the pretty camping slopes of the Hawkesbury. Messrs. Stannard, Cox, and two of three friends have established a camp for their week-end fishing trips, and started to improve upon nature in a highly creditable way. Instead of making the place look as if man had spoiled it, they worked with a will and assisted nature to make the surroundings of their camp more beautiful. Rustic paths have been made, and ferns placed in nooks amongst the rocks, while in some places green saplings have been bent over to make a pleasant shade.

The A.F.A. never seeks trophies from business people, but sometimes some reach the organisation. At the last meeting a rod was received from Mr. Hubert Johnson on behalf of the maker, Mr. J. W. Hughes, of Redditch, England, and this will be competed for in due course.

It was decided in view of adverse reports respecting the fishing at Port Hacking to postpone the A.F.A. trip arranged for this week-end until later in the season. Clubs which have a set programme drawn up regardless of the fishing probabilities of the various resorts at the beginning of a season often wish they could alter their outings. It is only possible to make alterations which are congenial to members when there is a regular and large attendance at meetings. That is the case with the A.F.A.

Sharks have been observed to be plentiful at the entrance to Port Hacking, and at various places in Brisbane Water. Nearly everybody who has fished near the Rip at Brisbane Water has found the sharks tearing hooked fish off their lines. Messrs. J. Pegg and R. Kurts, who recently visited the resort, had fair sport, but found the monsters troublesome. Mr. Kurts secured a nice lot of whiting every time he went out.

A pleasant camping trip was concluded at Hawkesbury by Mr. F. A. Millet and family this week. Picking his tides and pitches, Mr. Millett and his sons had no difficulty in keeping the camp supplied with fish of good quality.

Mr. R. E. Eastway won Mr. J. Smith's trophy—an oil painting—at the last A.F.A. competition, and Mr. A. Feldham won the second prize, consisting of landing nets presented by Mr. R. J. Geddes and Eastway Bros.

Another angling club has been started called the Royal Albert Fishing Club. It has nearly 40 members enrolled already and the chief officers are:—Mr. J. A. Livingstone (captain), Mr. H. Dalveen (hon. treasurer), and Mr. F. Saunders (hon. secretary). The first club outing will be at Hawkesbury this week-end.

There are great shoals of mackerel and tailer about at various places north of the town of the coast. The Spanish mackerel, which is often met with up north, is one of the best of the food mackerels, and a capital sporting fish. Mr. D. G. Stead (Fisheries Naturalist) has just received some fine specimens of the barred long Tom, a handsome fish shaped like a gar in a general way, from along the coast. Some of the long Toms have green bones and are edible fish.

Trout anglers are getting ready for Easter visits to the mountain resorts where trout flourish. There will be a large number of rods over the southern rivers this month, and men who fix up in time should secure railway reductions and reserved space in the cars for themselves and friends. Anglers are on a special footing, like some of the athletic bodies, in regard to railway travelling.

METHODIST CONFERENCE.

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

At the Lyceum Conference Hall yesterday the sittings of the Methodist Conference were continued, the president being in the chair.

Foreign mission business, as it affected the stationing of ministers, was introduced by the Rev. B. Danks. It was resolved to send a telegram to each conference in the States and New Zealand asking for volunteers for the Indian mission in Fiji, and also Papua.

The examination of candidates for ordination was postponed until this morning at 9.30.

The Rev. P. J. Stephen presented the tabulated results of the examination of students of the theological institution, and moved its adoption, which was carried. The order in which the students should be taken from the college and sent into circuit work was agreed upon. The unfinished business relating to probationers was again introduced, but was incomplete when the conference adjourned at 10 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE SESSION.

The Rev. W. H. Beale asked permission to lay the report of the union of the churches upon the table of the conference for the information of its members.

On the motion of the Rev. R. J. Meek it was agreed to add the name of Mr. Thos. Bembrick, J.P., to those of the representatives to the British conferences published yesterday.

The Rev. W. H. Beale submitted the report of Book Depot affairs, which disclosed a very satisfactory position and a gratifying increase in the business. Reference was made to the vacancy in the office of book steward by the death of the Rev. Jos. Spence, and suitable reference was made to his lamented decease. The conference thanked the Rev. W. H. Beale for his services in the interim, and appointed him to the office of book steward for the ensuing year.

The Rev. P. Clipsham introduced the business of the Epworth Printing House and the "Methodist" to the conference, showing a satisfactory position. The report and balance-sheet were read and adopted. The recommendations of synods were then read and discussed.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

After discussion, the proposal to withdraw the married minister from Darling-street, Balmain, was lost.

The question of supplying charges with probationers was debated at length. Three old and eight new charges were in need of supply. But it was pointed out by Rev. J. E. Carruthers and others that by sending probationers to all the eleven places, the theological institution would be practically emptied. It would be unfair to take the students away from the college before completing their theological education. The conference then decided to hear the needs of the various circuits. It was mentioned that six new ministers were expected out from England, and these would relieve the situation. Eventually it was decided to send home mission agents to Coonamble, Borrigo, and Henty, while probationers should go to Waverley, Lewisham, Grenfell, Lismore, and Brunswick.

APPOINTING AN EVANGELIST.

Portion of the afternoon session was devoted to the recommendation to appoint an evangelist. The committee recommended the appointing of one or more connexional evangelists. The offer of Rev. A. E. Walker to be set apart for the work was received. It was also suggested that Gipsy Smith be invited to visit New South Wales, and that the C.M.M. committee be requested to release Rev. W. G. Taylor from some of his duties in order to allow him to conduct missions in the State. All missions were to be self-supporting.

After discussion it was unanimously decided to appoint an evangelist, and the names of Revs. A. E. Walker, S. V. Cock, and W. G. Taylor were mentioned. A motion by Rev. J. E. Carruthers to refer the question to a committee, was lost. Eventually the conference decided unanimously to recommend Rev. A. E. Walker to the pastoral committee as the conference evangelist.

The question of asking Gipsy Smith to visit Australia was left to the general conference.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—March 4.

Otranto, R.M.S., 12,124 tons, Captain A. J. Coad, from London, via ports. Passengers—From London: Mr. and Mrs. Mackenzie and infant, Mr. and Mrs. Keep child and governess, Messrs. T. J. West, W. T. Rowland, J. Collings, H. D. Ames, J. D. Wilson, H. Baxter, Miss M. B. Little, Mrs. Harley, Miss A. B. McLullish, Misses Hampton and Rogers, Mrs. F. Thompson, Messrs. L. Adams, S. G. W. Pate, F. C. Graham, J. Russell, F. Davies, F. S. Salisbury, N. L. Pemberton, J. Smith, E. Munro, J. H. Tomalin, C. E. Tatham, A. G. Pottow, Captain Masterson, Misses K. M. Manning, Mrs. J. F. Wilson, Mrs. A. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Powell, Miss Macpherson. From Marseilles: Mrs. and Miss Goodson, Mr. Mrs. and Miss H. Buck, Miss T. Buck, Mrs. and Miss MacMillan, Mr. and Mrs. M'Neill, Rev. and Mrs. Locas, Mr. and Mrs. Collier and family, Miss Bell, Captain J. C. Mitchell. From Naples: Mrs. D. Anderson, Miss Anderson, Miss N. Anderson, Messrs. T. M. Davies, G. Wilkins, F. Ash, J. M. Binnie, J. Bell, A. G. Pawle, Mrs. and Miss Burdekin, Miss M. B. Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Clark, Miss Whitty, Miss J. Hayes, Mrs. Goldsmith, Mr. Rattigan. From Port Said: Mr. Mrs. and Miss Ivatt, Dr. Coombes, Mr. Mrs. and Miss Meares. From Colombo: Mr. J. S. Love, Mr. and Mrs. Coulson, Messrs. Hegarty (3). For Dunedin, from London: Mr. and Mrs. Malloch. For Lyttelton, from London: Mr. Mrs. and Misses (3) Wood, Mr. N. L. Pemberton, Sisters Magdalen and Clare. For Wellington, from London: Mr. Mrs. and Miss Frere, Miss James, Mr. and Miss Northcote, Mr. H. D. Ames, Mrs. J. D. Wilson, Miss A. B. Macullish, Mr. G. C. Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Moore. For Auckland, from London: Mr. H. Baxter, Misses Naish, Messrs. A. Lovett, G. M. Handcock, E. C. Lemass, Mrs. Powell, and Mrs. Hair. For Brisbane, from London: Messrs. H. and G. A. C. Davy, Mrs. J. L. Poot, Mr. and Mrs. Bevington, Mr. H. L. Conran, Mrs. Francis and son, Miss Miles, Mr. and Mrs. Symes, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Young, F. J. E. Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Woodly. For Bundaberg, from London: Miss M. Manchester. For Gladstone, from London: Rev. F. E. Maynard. And in the third-class, 302 passengers for Sydney and 38 for Brisbane, in addition to a large number of passengers from Fremantle, Adelaide, and Melbourne. David Anderson, agent.

Maheno, s., 5282 tons, Captain M. Clydesdale, from Auckland. Passengers: Misses Lyms, Vay, Carr, Hordern, Carlos (2), Watts (2), Jones, Ames, Adams, Tedswell, Skuthorpe, Rollern, Chambers (2), O'Moore, Tidyman, West, Coles, Collins (3), Strang, Reid, Orr, Mends, Jarry, Hinde, Mathieson, Fry, Falconer, Young, Walker (2), Dun, Mrs. Malcolm, Mesdames Jubbins, Syme, Hay, Witty, Woodsworth, Kitching, Jones, Allen, Rosewarne, Fell, Patston, Innes, Bonlace, Kennedy, Colbeck, Terry, Littlewood, Crane, Cairns, Orr, Walsh, Lake, Gillies, Sir Samuel M'Caughey, Rev. Orr, Dr. Sinclair Gillies, Messrs. Gobbins, Grace, Dicky, Osborne, Townsend, Smith, [illegible], Tudor, Allen, Syms, Hay, Doody, Griffiths, Harden, Hordern, Carr, Horden, [illegible], Daniel, Lyons, Forsyth, Sewell, Allen Taylor, Reimerschneider and son, Creighton, Patston, Kennedy, M'Cormack, Jenkins, [illegible], Mace, Terry, Connley, Green, Turnwine, Herron, Cairns, Eastrough, Isaacson, Schofield, Coles, Crane, Newton, Fraser, Taylor, Cockiston, Walsh, Guthrey, Langton, Garron, Wilson (2), Bishop, Frampton, Gerry, Watt, Heat, M'Rae, Karr, Meyer, Allen, Malcholm, Griffin, Jacob, and 97 passengers in the steerage. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Grantala, s., 3655 tons, Captain J. Sim, from Melbourne, en route to Cairns, via Brisbane and ports. Passengers: Saloon 102, second-class 130. G. S. Yuill and Co., Ltd., agents.

Boric, s. 6583 tons, Captain Kearney, from Liverpool and Durban, via Adelaide and Melbourne. Dalgety and Co., Ltd., agents.

Barrier, s., 2637 tons, Captain Hayman, from Newcastle, en route to Melbourne. G. S. Yuill and Co., Ltd., agents.

Perth, s., 1799 tons, Captain Roy, from Melbourne. Melbourne S.S. Company, Ltd., agents.

Karuah, s. 329 tons, Captain Phillipson, from Port Stephens, via Newcastle. Newcastle and H.R.S.S. Company, Ltd., agents.

Hopewell, s., 337 tons, Captain Paesch, from Maryborough. Nelson and Robertson, agents.

Tuncurry, s., 236 tons, Captain O'Bierne, from Cape Hawke. Allen Taylor and Co., Ltd., agents.

Ashridge, s., 2861 tons, Captain Morgan, from Rockhampton and Brisbane. Burns, Philp, and Co., Ltd., agents.

Cape Finisterre, s. 4380 tons, Captain M'Donald, from Puget Sound, via Melbourne.

Cycle, s. 3387 tons, Captain Leslie, from Port Pirie. Howard Smith Company, Ltd., agents.

Corra Lynn, s., 151 tons, Captain Ferguson, from Byron Bay. Langley Bros., agents.

DEPARTURES.—March 4.

Katanga, s. for Guam, via Newcastle.
Bombala, s., for Melbourne.
Aparima, s., for Calcutta.
Perth, s., for Melbourne, via Kembla.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—March 5.

Schwaben, s., for Bremen, via ports; Salamis, s., for Durban, Capetown, Plymouth, and London; Narrung, s., for Natal, Capetown, and London, via ports; Apolda, s., for Antwerp and Hamburg, via Java ports; Darius, s., for Java and Singapore; Ulimaroa, s., for Wellington and other New Zealand ports; Ashridge, s., for Brisbane and Rockhampton; Grantala, s., for Brisbane and Northern ports; Barrier, s., for Melbourne; Cavanba, s., for Byron Bay and Coff's Harbour; Kyogle, s., for the Clarence River; Dorrigo, s., for the Tweed River; Tuncurry, s., for Cape Hawke, Forster, Tuncurry, Nabiac, Krambach, and Coolongolook; Karuah, s., for Port Stephens, Bulahdelah, Myall Lakes, Gloucester, Stroud, and Booral; Namoi, s., for Newcastle; Bombala, s., for Richmond River; Karuah, s., for Port Stephens.

CLEARANCES.—March 4.

Aparima, s., 5764 tons, Captain Evans, R.N.R., for Calcutta.
Ville de Dijon, Fr. bq., 1767 tons, Captain Menquy, for Falmouth.
Perth, s., 1799 tons, Captain Roy, for Melbourne, via Port Kembla.

ENTERED OUTWARDS.—March 4.

Lauderdale, s., for Dunedin, via Port Huon; Magdeburg, s., for Hamburg, via ports.

MOVEMENTS OF OVERSEA STEAMERS.

Euryalus (Arch. Currie and Co.'s Australian and Indian line) has arrived at Rangoon, and is loading at that port for Melbourne and Sydney, calling at Singapore and Java ports en route.

NARRUNG FOR LONDON TO-DAY.

The Blue Anchor liner Narrung will be despatched by Gilchrist, Watt, and Sanderson, Limited, at 2 o'clock this afternoon for London, via Capetown and ports. Her passengers are:—

Mr. R. E. Iredale, Mr. G. L. Garton, Mr. J. D. Rowan-Baldwin, Mr. P. H. F. Stery, Miss Lewis, Captain and Mrs. Scott, Mr. R. S. Wood, Mr. Donovan, Mr. E. Hughes, Mrs. Davis, Mr. Finlett, Mr. Johnstone, Mr. Godgeon, Mrs. Hannard and family, Mr. J. W. M'Gregor, and Mr. J. Wilson.

Among the principal lines of cargo shipped by the Narrung are:—[illegible] bales wool, 55 casks cheese, 57 bales furskins, 605 casks tallow, 15 casks jellies, 14 bags hair, 4 bales horns, 2088 cases meats, 61 tons timber, 300 tons lead, 120 bales leather, 70 bales hides, 136 pkgs sundries, 5277 boxes butter, 1280 crates rabbits, 5000 carcases mutton.

DEPARTURE OF THE SALAMIS.

At noon to-day the one-class Aberdeen liner Salamis will leave Dalgety's Wharf, Miller's Point, in continuation of her homeward voyage to London, via South Africa. What was until a few months ago the saloon is now occupied by passengers paying the moderate third-class rates, and many passengers are availing themselves of the opportunity to travel in this comfortable manner. Large freight engagements have also been made at Brisbane, which port the Salamis visited in accordance with the itinerary of the line, and at Sydney, while further extensive shipments will be loaded at Melbourne. The following is a list of the passengers booked by the Salamis:—

For Durban: Mrs. M. Downs, Mr. F. W. Chadney, Mr. L. J. Zambia, Mr. H. Rait, Mr. R. Skinner, Mr. T. P. Jones, Mr. W. M'Elvie, Mr. W. Gilchrist, Mrs. Gilchrist and infant, Mr. J. Rowe, Mr. W. Annear, Mrs. S. Davies, Miss and Master Davies, Mr. Percy Randall, Miss K. Kitchen, Mr. W. Wood, Mr. T. H. Chorley, Mr. H. Richardson, Mrs. Richardson, Mr. R. Brown, Mrs., Miss, and Master Appleton.

For London: Captain J. and Mrs. Fraser, Mr. W. W. Roberts, Mr. W. Harley, Mr. L. Harris, Mr. J. Fletcher, Mr. F. A. Reed, Mrs. Reed and infant, Mrs. J. R. Shirley, Mr. F. W. Thomas, Mr. C. R. Walker, Miss M. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Mortimer Evans, Mr. A. Ruse, Mr. H. Johnson, Mrs. A. R. Nelson and infant, Mr. R. Tough, Messrs. G., J., and A. Tittensor, Mrs. E. Tittensor, Misses C., N., and E. Tittensor, Mr. J. K. Manton, Mr. H. Millington, in addition to passengers for interstate ports.

The principal lines of cargo shipped by the Salamis at Sydney are:—2000 bls wool, 400 tons tallow and oil, 600 tons lead, 850 casks meats, 150 tons timber, 12 bls skins and sundries, 13,000 boxes butter, 6500 crates rabbits. The leading lines loaded at Brisbane are:—897 bls wool, 115 casks tallow, 13 casks casings, 217 quarters beef, 6565 boxes butter, and sundries.

PERICLES DUE TO-MORROW.

The following is a list of passengers by the Aberdeen liner Pericles, which is due at Sydney to-morrow morning from London, via Capetown and interstate ports:—

From London: Mr. F. Austen, Mr. G. Brown, Mr. W. Balls, Mr. G. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Bucklet and five children, Mr. and Mrs. Butterworth, Mrs. Barker and four children, Mr. H. Bird, Mr. J. Blackburn, Mr. H. Bugg, Mrs. G. Beard, Miss B. and Miss M. Bergen, Mr. E. and Mrs. L. Brearley, Miss E. Brooks, Mr. H. Brooks, Mr. W. Bain, Mr. J. Beaumont, Mr. H. Bannerton, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks, Mr. W. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Cresswell, Mr. J. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Carter and two sons, Mr. G. Castle, Mr. J. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Coyle, Mr. W. Craig, Mr. W. Cunningham, Mr. W. Cook, Mr. C. Denyer, Mr. A. Dodds, Mr. H. Didcote, Mr. F. Dugan, Miss M. Dugan, Mr. S. Douglas, Mr. W. Elt, Miss L. Ezast, Mr. W. Edwards, Mrs. Earp and five children, Mr. H. Ellary, Mr. T. Firmston, Miss A. and Miss M. Higbed, Mr. Mrs. and Miss O. Hutchinson, Mr. G. Heywood, Mr. R. Hamilton, Mr. W. Head, Mr. E. Head, Mr. A. Head, Mr. G. Hammett, Mr. and Mrs. Hall and 2 daughters, Mr. J. Hodges, Mr. H. Howland, Mr. E. Hamerton, Mr. S. Jackson, Mr. R. Jenkins, Mr. M. Johnson, Mr. J. King, Mr. W. Kear, Mr. W. Kirby, Mr. D. Kite, Mr. R. Karpinski, Mr. W. Linton, Mr. A. Lee, Mr. Mrs. and Miss Ladbroke, Mr. Mrs. and Miss Lampard, Mr. A. Langford, Mr. and Mrs. Ledder and four children, Mr. R. Muirhead, Mr. G. Mackenzie, Mr. A. Maitland, Mr. W. Milne, Mr. H. Miller, Mr. A. Marsh, Mr. A. Metzger, Mr. F. Minter, Mr. S. Mackay, Mrs. Martin and three children, Mr. K. Macleod, Mr. F. Morton, Mr. A. Machin, Mr. J. M'Intosh, Mr. A. Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Niven and six daughters and two sons, Mr. J. Nix, Miss A. Neane, Mr. H. Nicholson, Mr. and Mrs. Nowell, two daughters and one son, Miss J. Warner, Mr. W. Loveland, Mr. L. Pryce, Mr. J. Pittman, Mr. H. Pittman, Mrs. S. Pittman, Mr. W. Philp, Mr. T. Perkins, Mr. E. Pateman, Mr. A. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. Prikhard and 3 children, Mr. and Mrs. S. Prikhard, Miss B. Prikhard, Messrs. F. Prikhard (2), Mr. W. Powell, Mr. F. Powell, Mr. Price, Mr. J. Quinn, Mr. A. Rendall, Mr. W. Robinson, Mr. R. Richardson, Mr. H. Ridgwell, Mrs. Rothwell and 6 children, Mr. R. Reddish, Miss C. Robin, Mr. L. Smith, Mr. W. Slack, Mr. W. Smith, Mr. D. Stratton, Mr. J. Shorley, Mr. F. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Satterthwaite and 3 children, Mr. C. Simnon, Mr. and Mrs. and Master Scaife, Miss E. and Miss J. Toft, Mr. T. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Thomson, Mrs. Turtle and 3 sons, Mr. N. Taylor, Mr. S. Tomley, Mr. C. Todd, Mr. G. Thompson, Mr. W. Flowers, Mr. H. Ward, Mr. H. Williams, Mr. W. Lane, Mr. H. Weekes, Mr. and Mrs. Woolnought, Mr. A. Wood, Miss A. Warren, Mrs. Watson and son, Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Westwood, Mr. and Mrs. Wort and 5 children, Mr. and Mrs. Whitworth, Mr. J. Walton, Mr. A. Whyley, Mr. J. Wilson, Mr. M. Williamson, Mr. M. Waldon, Mr. J. Wood, Mr. A. Wright, Miss R. Wright, Mr. W. Yewdell, Mrs. Griffin and 2 daughters, Mr. G. Philp, Mr. G. Pickford, Mr. W. Martin, Mr. E. Allson, Mr. W. Coomber, Mr. H. Gibbons, Mr. F. Harrcott, Mr. J. Harbord, Mr. and Mrs. Mackenzie and 4 children, J. Mackenzie, Mrs. H. Packer, Mr. and Mrs. Hando and 3 children, Mr. G. Rabbetts.

From Capetown: Mr. and Mrs. Brewer and 4 children, Mr. A. Connell, Mrs. E. Devlin, Mr. A. Northan, Mrs. and Miss O'Brien.

From Durban: Mr., Mrs., and Miss Bailey, Mr. R. Bunce, Mr. S. Dillon, Mrs. E. Martin, Mr., Mrs., and Master Harris, Miss E. M'Intosh, Mrs. F. M'Pherson, Misses Mathers, Mr. A. Middleton, Messrs. W. and F. Parker, Mrs. L. Sage and 3 children.

WHEAT ON THE DE DIJON.

The French barque Ville de Dijon, having completed loading her cargo of 31,044 bags of wheat, is now ready for sea, and will be despatched for Falmouth within the next few days.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING.

TOWNSVILLE (1370m).—Arr: March 3, Nikko Maru, J.M.S., from Japan; Mourilyan, s., from Cooktown. March 4, Warrego, s., from Brisbane.

ROCKHAMPTON (980m).—Arr: March 4, Timaru, s., from Iron Island. Dep: Civility, s., for Iron Island.

BRISBANE (500m).—Arr: March 4, Van Heemskerk, s., and Burwah, s., both from Sydney; Komura, s., from Rockhampton; Timaru, s., from Bundaberg. Dep: March 4, Mataram, s., for Singapore; Ardmount, for Java; Wodonga, s., for Townsville; Van Heemskerk, s., for Batavia.

TWEED HEADS (374m).—Passed: March 4, a large two-masted steamer in light trim, black and white band, at 4.30 p.m., north.

BYRON BAY (345m).—March 4, Orara, s., and the [illegible], s., both at anchor in the bay.

RICHMOND RIVER HEADS (371m).—Passed: March 4, a steamer flying 2PWN, at 12.50 p.m., north.

CLARENCE HEADS (296m).—Passed: March 4, a cargo steamer, at 8.30 a.m., north.

SOUTH SOLITARY ISLAND (258m).—Passed: March 3, Burwah, s., at 4.3 p.m.; March 4, a steamer, 2 masts, black funnel, in light trim, at 8.30 a.m.; Rio, barque, en route to the Clarence River, at 10.40 a.m.; Kiltobranks, s., at 1.20 p.m., all north.

BELLINGER HEADS (230m).—Dep: March 2, Myee, s., for Sydney.

NAMBUCCA HEADS (223m).—March 4, Uralla, s., and Nerong, s., both unable to cross in, bar too rough.

MACLEAY RIVER HEADS (209m).—March 3, Euroka, s., at anchor in bay at 5 p.m. Dep: March 4, Euroka, s., at 8.30 a.m., for the south. Passed: March 4, Rosedale, s., at 8.30 a.m., north.

SMOKY CAPE (205m).—Passed: March 4, Burwah, s., at 12.45 p.m., north; Wonga Fell, s., at 3.20 p.m., south.

PORT MACQUARIE (174m).—Arr: March 3, Jubilee, ketch, at 9.30 a.m., Federal, schr, at 9.30 a.m., Macquarie, s., at 12.15 p.m., all from Sydney.

TACKING POINT (169m).—Passed: March 4, City of Grafton, s., at 4.55 p.m., north; Euroka, s., at 5.20 p.m., south.

CAPE HAWKE (123m).—Dep: March 4, Astral, s., at 12.36 p.m., Commonwealth, s., at 3.15 p.m., both for Sydney.

SEAL ROCKS (109m).—Passed: March 4, one of the North Coast steamers, at 9.15 a.m., north; Astral, s., at 4 p.m., south.

PORT STEPHENS (83m).—March 4, Corra Lynn, s., Dauntless, s., Hastings, s., Myall, sch, Candidate, ktch, Shannon, ktch, and Ladysmith, ktch, all at anchor in the bay at 8.30 a.m. Arr: March 4, Hawk, s., at 10.30 a.m., from Sydney, via Newcastle. Dep: March 4, Corra Lynn, s., at 11.10 a.m., for the south. Passed, March 4, one of the North Coast Company's steamers, at 6.30 a.m., Bellinger, s., at 2 p.m., Eilerslie, s., at 3.20 p.m., all north.

NEWCASTLE (62m).—Arr: March 4, Namoi, s., Wallsend, s., Minmi, s., Katanga, s., H. K. Hall, American five-masted sch, James Johnston, American bqtne, all from Sydney; Ashridge, s., from Brisbane. Dep: March 4, Wyoming, s., Ashridge, s., Friendship, s., Helen Nicholl, s., Cooloon, s., Wallsend, s., Myee, s., and Duroby, s., all for Sydney; Hawk, s., for Port Stephens; Boambee, s., for the Manning River.

BARRANJOEY (19m).—Arr: March 4, Woy Woy, s., at 11 a.m., from Sydney. Dep: March 4, Woy Woy, s., at 5.15 p.m., for the south.

WOLLONGONG (44m).—Arr: March 4, Mount Kembla, s., at 5 a.m., Tintenbar, s., at 4 a.m., Beagle, s., at 4.30 p.m., Herga, s., at 5 p.m., all from Sydney. Dep: March 4, Palmerston, s., at 5 a.m., Mount Kembla, s., at 4 p.m., both for Sydney; Tintenbar, s., at 3 p.m., for Newcastle.

KIAMA (59m).—Dep: March 4, Hillmeads, s., at 4.30 a.m., for Ulladulla; Kiama, s., at 2 a.m., for Sydney.

CROOKHAVEN HEADS (74m).—March 4, Peterborough, s., unable to cross out at high water; leaving by the next tide.

JERVIS BAY (87m).—Passed: March 4, a large steamer, at 5.20 a.m., Grantala, s., at 7 a.m., Cycle, s., at 7.10 a.m., Boric, s., at 8.50 a.m., all north; Hillmeads, s., at 8.15 a.m., Glaucus, s., at 12.10 p.m., both south.

ULLADULLA (108m).—Arr: March 4, Hillmeads, s., at 11.30 a.m., from Sydney. Dep: March 4, Hillmeads, s., at 4 p.m., for the south.

EDEN (210m).—Arr: March 3, Wakatipu, s., at 11 p.m.; March 4, Cycle, s., at 5 a.m., both from Sydney. Dep: March 3, Wakatipu, s., at 11.45 p.m., for Launceston.

GREEN CAPE (218m).—Passed, March 4, a passenger steamer, at 1.40 a.m.; Lightning, yawl, at 4.10 p.m., Clara, cutter, at 5.10 p.m., all south.

GABO (229m).—Passed, March 4, Lightning, yawl, at 7.10 p.m., west.

WILSON'S PROMONTORY (426m).—Passed inward: March 4, Somerset, s., at 2.30 p.m.

MELBOURNE (576m).—Arr: March 4, Monaro, s., from Sydney; Inveran, s., from the Tyne; Nyora, tug, with Corio, s., in tow, from Sealers' Cove; Culwulla III., yacht, from Hobart. Dep: March 4, Pericles, s., and Hawkes Bay, s., both for Sydney; Tropic, s., for London; Oonah, s., for Burnie; Chillagoe, s., for Adelaide.

HOBART (618m).—Arr: March 3, Warrimoo, s., at 9.5 p.m., from New Zealand; Paloona, s., at 9.55 p.m., from Sydney; March 4, Orontes, R.M.S., at 11.30 a.m., from the Eastern States. Dep: March 4, Moana, s., at 12.35 p.m., for New Zealand.

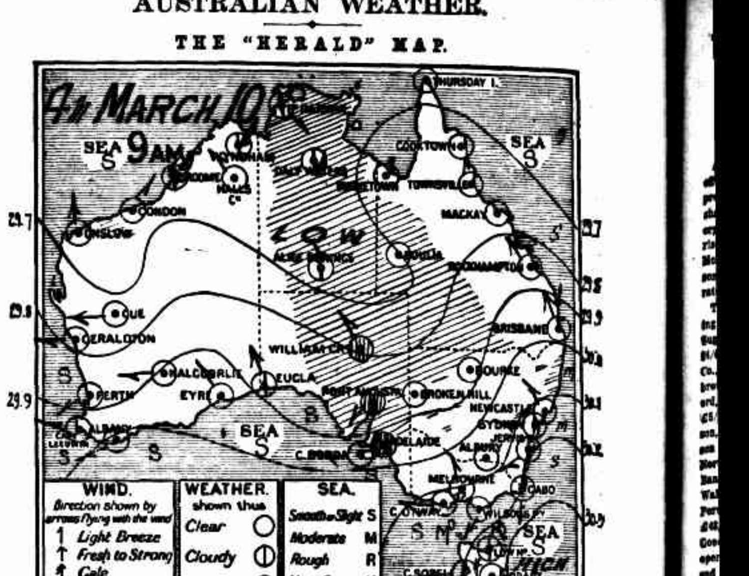
LAUNCESTON (500m).—Dep: March 4, Loongana, s., at 6.15 p.m., for Melbourne.

ALBANY (2100m).—Arr: March 3, Graphic, s., at 5.45 a.m., from Delagoa Bay. Dep: March 3, Dilkera, s., at 11 p.m., for Fremantle.

FREMANTLE (2560m).—Arr: March 3, Isabel Browne, bq., at 4.40 p.m., from South Africa; Kyarra, s., at 4.40 p.m. March 4, Clan Cumming, s., at 10 a.m., both from the eastern States.

AUSTRALIAN WEATHER.

THE "HERALD" MAP.



Forecasts.—Monsoonal rain storms over interior still operating, and promising general rain over large part of southern and eastern States during the next two or three days.

The high pressure has advanced about 600 miles eastward, and gained one-tenth in barometric value. The centre is now between Tasmania and The Bluff, New Zealand. Very little alteration has taken place in the monsoonal depression.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Commonwealth Weather Bureau, Friday.

Sydney rainfall, average annual for 51 years, 4797 points.

Average rainfall for 52 years, from January 1 to end of February, 813 points.

Total rainfall from January 1, 1910, to date, 607 points.

Total for corresponding period of 1909, 914 points.

Barometer at 9 a.m., 30.193; at 3 p.m., 30.114; at 9 p.m., 30.126.

Temperature at 9 a.m., 72; at 3 p.m., 69.9; at 9 p.m., 68.3. Maximum 75.3, minimum 64.9.

Humidity at 9 a.m., 48; at 3 p.m., 60; at 9 p.m., 61.

Wind, greatest velocity 17 miles, from the east.

RAINFALL REGISTRATIONS.

New South Wales (for the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m.).—Araluen 1 point, Armidale 16, Barringun 20, Bateman's Bay 1, Bingara 5, Blackheath 22, Bodalla 5, Camden Haven 127, Casino 110, Clarence Heads 10, Enngonia 12, Grafton 10, Gresford 5, Hungerford 12, Ivanhoe 18, Katoomba 43, Kempsey 116, Lawson 20, Major's Creek 1, Manning Heads 55, Merimbula 6, Moruya Heads 5, Mount Victoria 18, Nambucca 30, Newcastle 3, Paterson 5, Picton 2, Port Macquarie 32, Port Stephens 27, Raymond Terrace 1, Seal Rocks 17, Singleton 8, Springwood 11, Sydney 1, Sutton Forest 1, Tabulam 33, Tenterfield 4, Ulladulla 13, Uralla 4, Walcha 5, White Cliffs 5, Wilcannia 2.

QUEENSLAND RAINFALL.

The following were the principal rainfall records in Queensland during the 24 hours ended 9 a.m., Friday:—Northern Division.—Halifax 18 points, Ingham 11, Mareeba 11, Camooweal 18, Urandangie 50, Boulia 82, Geraldton 118.

Central Division.—Lake Nash 82 points.

Southern Division.—Amby 18 points, Harrisville 98, Rosewood 70, Marburg 70, Kannangur 40, Cambooya 37, Mitchell 15.

Late report to 9 a.m., Thursday:—Stanwell, 22 points.

RAINFALL DISTRIBUTION.

New South Wales (for the 24 hours ended 9 a.m.).—Light to moderate rain, with some thunder, recorded at scattered places in the Western Division, on the tablelands, and on the coast.

Victoria.—No rain recorded.

South Australia.—Light to heavy rain recorded north of Adelaide.

Western Australia.—Light and scattered rain, with thunderstorms, recorded in the tropics.

Queensland.—Light to moderate rain, but scattered, recorded west from a line joining Camooweal and Wallangarra, also scattered places in the Moreton districts and north-east coast.

Tasmania.—One point at Eddystone, the only rain recorded.

CONDITIONS AT 9 A.M.

New South Wales.—Clear at a few scattered places; otherwise cloudy to overcast generally, with showers at a few places on the highlands, North Coast, and River Darling.

Victoria.—Cloudy to overcast throughout.

South Australia.—Reports incomplete; cloudy throughout; fine in the extreme south and south-east, and threatening to raining elsewhere.

Western Australia.—Overcast at a few places in the tropics; elsewhere clear or few clouds.

Queensland.—Northern reports incomplete. Cloudy to gloomy in the western half; clear to fine but cloudy in central and southern divisions.

Tasmania.—Fine, with scattered clouds, and threatening at a few places.

BAROMETERS AT 9 A.M.

Carnarvon, 29.71; Geraldton, 29.80; Perth, 29.88; Esperance Bay, 29.93; Eucla, 29.88; Streaky Bay, 29.89; Adelaide, 29.98; Portland, 30.04; Melbourne, 30.11; Wilson's Promontory, 30.12; Gabo Island, 30.22; Cape St. George, 30.20; Newcastle, 30.14; Port Macquarie, 30.09; Clarence Heads, 30.07; Brisbane, 30.95; Rockhampton, 30.84.

TEMPERATURES.

Perth (for the 24 hours ended 9 a.m.), maximum 98, minimum 71; Adelaide, 83, 65; Melbourne, 71, 62; Brisbane, 87, 70; Hobart, 66, 47.

RIVER REPORTS.

The heights above summer level of the inland rivers at 9 a.m. on March 4 were as follow:—Albury, 1in; Angledool, 1; Balranald, below summer level; Boggabilla, 1ft 7in; Booligal, 2ft 8in, s; Bourke, 14ft 4in, f; Brewarrina, 10ft 5in, r; Collarenebri, 8in, f; Condobolin, 6in; Coara, stopped running; Deniliquin, 10in; Dubbo, 1ft 9in; Euabalong, stopped running; Euston, 5ft 11in; Forbes, 1ft 8in; Goodooga, 1ft 2in, f; Gundagai, summer level; Gunnedah, 3ft; Hay, 9in below summer level; Hillston, 1ft 4in, f; Inverell, 2ft 2in, f; Kunopia, 1; Louth, 22ft 6in, f; Manilla, 1; Menindie, 29ft 8in; Moama, 6in; Mogil Mogil, 3ft, f; Moulamein, below summer level; Mungindi, 5ft 6in, f; Narrandera, 5ft 5in; Pooncarie, 10ft; Tilpa, 35ft 9in, f; Tocumwal, 4½in below summer level; Wagga Wagga, 11in; Wentworth, 6ft 6in; Wilcannia, 30ft 9in, r; Yetman, 1; Barwon River, at Walgett, 15ft, f; Namoi River, at Walgett, 6ft 11in, f.

Note.—R, rising; f, falling; s, stationary; l, low.

COASTAL REPORTS AT 3 P.M.

Tweed Heads, S, moderate gale, squally, sea heavy; Byron Bay, SW, strong, cloudy, sea heavy; Ballina, SSE, strong, cloudy, bar heavy; Clarence Heads, SE, light, cloudy, sea rough; Woolgoolga, SE, fresh, showery, sea moderate; Bellinger Heads, SW, fresh, showery, bar rough; Nambucca Heads, ESE, strong, cloudy, sea very rough; Port Macquarie, SE, fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Manning Heads, calm, cloudy, sea rough; Seal Rocks, SE, light, showery, sea moderate; Port Stephens, E, light, cloudy, sea slight; Newcastle, SE, fresh, cloudy, sea slight; Lake Macquarie Heads, SE, light, cloudy, sea moderate; Catherine Hill Bay, SE, light, cloudy, sea moderate; Barranjoey, E, fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; South Head, E, moderate, cloudy, sea moderate; Wollongong, ESE, light, cloudy, sea slight; Kiama, ENE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Crookhaven Heads, SSE, light, cloudy, sea slight; Jervis Bay, SE, light, cloudy, sea slight; Ulladulla, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Bateman's Bay, calm, cloudy, sea smooth; Moruya, NNE, light, showery, sea slight; Eden, NE, fresh, squally, cloudy, sea moderate; Green Cape, NE, fresh, squally, cloudy, sea moderate; Gabo Island, NE, fresh, misty, cloudy, sea moderate.

FORECASTS AT 9 P.M.

New South Wales.—Cloudy and unsettled generally; rain in the western district, extending over the State during the next day or two; easterly winds.

Victoria.—Cloudy throughout, under easterly to north-easterly winds; unsettled weather and rain setting in over Mallee and western areas, and gradually extending eastwards.

Queensland.—Cloudy generally, and unsettled, with rain throughout all the west and south-west; rains generally extending to the more eastern districts; winds chiefly south-easterly to north-easterly.

South Australia.—Unsettled throughout; general rains; south-easterly to easterly winds.

Western Australia.—Fine and warm to hot, with easterly to north-easterly winds; scattered thunderstorms in the tropics.

Tasmania.—Fine, but tendency to become cloudy generally; unsettled weather, followed by rain; affecting western districts; easterly to north-easterly winds.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR MARCH 5.

Sun, rises 5.46, sets 6.28; Moon, 11.30 p.m., 1.33 p.m.; Mercury, 5.51 a.m., 5.27 p.m.; Venus, 3.30 a.m., 3.35 p.m.; Mars, 11.26 a.m., 9.41 p.m.; Jupiter, 7.42 p.m., 8.12 a.m.; Saturn, 5.42 a.m., 5.15 p.m.

MARCH 6.

Sun, rises 5.46, sets 6.27; Moon, 2.30 p.m.; Mercury, 5.54 a.m., 5.26 p.m.; Venus, 3.25 a.m., 3.32 p.m.; Mars, 11.25 a.m., 9.39 p.m.; Jupiter, 7.38 p.m., 8.7 a.m.; Saturn, 5.38 a.m., 5.11 p.m.

New moon, March 11, at 10.12 p.m. Full moon, March 26, at 6.21 a.m.

High water at Fort Denison on March 5 at 3.33 a.m. and 3.9 p.m.; March 6 at 3.44 a.m. and 4.19 p.m.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

LONDON, Friday.

Arrivals.

Hellenes, s., 3332 tons, Captain Marshall, at London, from Melbourne Jan. 3.

Iserlohn, s. (German-Australian line), 4067 tons, Captain Orgel, at Hamburg, from Sydney Dec. 10, via Keppel Bay Dec. 15, Townsville Dec. 17, Thursday Island Dec. 22, Macassar Jan. 3, Sourabaya (Java) Jan. 8, Padang Jan. 20, and Colombo Jan. 25.

Lothringen, s. (Nord-deutscher Lloyd cargo line), at Antwerp, en route for Bremen, from Sydney Dec. 31 and Adelaide Jan. 5.

Banffshire, s. (Federal-Houlder-Shire line), 5736 tons, Captain Wallace, at London, en route to Hull, from Sydney Dec. 10, via Melbourne Dec. 25, Fremantle Jan. 17, Colombo Feb. 1, and Suez Feb. 16.

Departure.

Flensburg, s. (German-Australian line), 4416 tons, Captain Kerst, from Hamburg, for Sydney, via ports.

NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING.

WELLINGTON (1239m).—Dep: March 4, Patrol, for Melbourne; Moeraki, s., for Sydney.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

South Australia.—Overland, 9.30 p.m.
Victoria.—Overland, 9.30 p.m.
Queensland.—Overland, 3.45 p.m. and 9.30 p.m.
Macassar, Sourabaya, Samarang, Batavia, and Padang, via Newcastle.—Apolda, noon.
Wellington, etc. (N.Z.), direct.—Ulimaroa, 1 p.m.
Monte Video, Buenos Ayres, Chili, and Rio Janeiro, via Wellington, N.Z.—Ulimaroa and Ruapehu, 1 p.m.
Nelson's Bay and Tea Gardens.—Karuah, 2 p.m.
Coff's Harbour and Byron Bay.—Cavanba, 3 p.m.
Clarence River.—Kyogle, 4 p.m.
Richmond River.—Brundah, 4 p.m.
Strahan, Zeehan, and North-west Coast of Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Oonah, 9.30 p.m.
Natal and Capetown, via Adelaide.—Salamis, 9.30 p.m.
Western Australia, via Adelaide and Albany.—Monaro, 9.30 p.m.

MONDAY.

Eden.—Eden, 3 p.m.
Cooktown, Thursday Island, and Gulf Ports, via Brisbane.—Warrego, 3.45 p.m.
Bellinger Heads.—Rosedale, 4 p.m.
Nambucca Heads.—Nerong, 4 p.m.
Delagoa Bay, Durban, East London, and Algoa Bay, via Adelaide.—Bechuana, 5.30 p.m.

WILCANNIA AND COBAR LETTERS.

The Acting District Inspector of the Postal Department reports that owing to the river rising the waters of the Tallywalka Creek have backed up strongly, rendering the ordinary route of the Wilcannia and Cobar mail service impassable, and thus necessitating a deviation therefrom of some 25 miles. Travelling the new track at night would be attended with considerable danger, and possible delay to mails through the driver missing the road.

Arrangements have been made for mails to be despatched from Wilcannia at 3.30 p.m. in lieu of 5 p.m. on Thursdays and Saturdays until the waters subside, as from the 3rd instant.

ENTOMOLOGICAL SPECIMENS STOLEN.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

An extraordinary theft of State entomological specimens, which were on view at the A.N.A. Exhibition, occurred on Saturday or Sunday. A valuable collection of entomological specimens was shown by the department at the exhibition, which closed last Saturday evening. The collection was seen to be safe at about 10 o'clock on that evening. On Monday morning about 100 of the most valuable specimens were found to have been stolen. The stolen exhibits, though valuable to a teacher or collector, have no market value; and so it is presumed that the offender was no ordinary thief. The collection was considered to be the finest in Australasia, and it will be very difficult, if not impossible, to replace many of the missing specimens.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

STOCKS AND SHARES.

A large amount of business was once more effected on 'Change yesterday, chiefly at improving rates. Queensland National Bank shares rose 1/, A.M. Fire 1/, Perkins' Brewery 1/, Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co. /9, Harrison, Jones, and Devlin eased /3. H. McKenzie, preferred, rose 1/6, and Richardson and Wrench /6; other sales being at late rates.

The following sales were reported:—Morning: Australian Mutual Fire, 57/; Colonial Sugar, £48/10/; Henry Jones Co-operative, 24/6, three months 24/10½; H. M'Kenzie and Co., pref, 22/; Union Bank, £67/5/; Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., 65/6; Perdriau Rubber, ord, 20/; National Bank of Australia, ord, £5/15/; Australian Gaslight, £19/7/6; Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, contg, 14/3; Richardson and Wrench, 16/; Perkins and Co., 40/; North Coast Steam, 28/3; Queensland National Bank shares, 21/9 net. Afternoon: New South Wales 3½ per cent. Funded Stock, 1912, £92; Port Jackson Steam, 52/6; Colonial Sugar, £48/10; Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., 66/; Goodlet and Smith, 19/9; Henry Jones' Co-operative, 24/6; East Greta Coal, 27/6; E.S. and A. Bank Debentures, 18/3; ditto deferred, deposits, 18/; Sydney Ferries, new issue, 40/; New South Wales Mont de Piete, 43/; Sydney Hydraulic and General Engineering Co., 26/.

Closing quotations were:—

Company.	Amount of Shares.	Shares Paid Up.	Last Div. Per Annum.	Last Sale.	Buyer.	Seller.	†Yield to Investor.
STOCKS.							
N.S.W., F.S., due 1912	..	..	3	93	92½	..	3½
Do., due 1912	..	..	3½	92	91½	92¼	3¾
Do., due 1924-5	..	..	4	100¼	100	100½	3¾
Do., due 1915	..	..	3	94½	94½	..	3¾
Do., due 1935	..	..	3½	96½	96¼	..	3¾
Do., due 1911	..	..	3	96	98	98½	3¾
Do., due 19.3	..	..	3	96	95½	96½	3½
Do., Act, 1873	..	..	4	103	101	..	3¾
Do., Debentures	..	..	4	..	101	104½	3½
Do., T. Bills, 1921	..	..	3½	99½	99	..	3¾
Ditto, 1910	..	..	4	100	100	..	4
S.S. Deb., 1916	..	..	4	100	99½	..	4
Ditto, 1921	..	..	4	100	..	100½	3¾
Ditto, 1936	..	..	4	..	..	100½	3¾
Q. Deb., 1916	..	..	4	100½	100	..	3¾
Ditto, T. Bills	..	..	4	100½	100	100½	3¾
W.A. Insc.	..	..	3½	..	..	..	..
Ditto	..	..	4	100	99½	102½	3¾
Met. Gas, D.	..	..	4	..	..	102½	5¼
City Syd. Deb.	..	..	4	101½	100	..	4
Col. Sugar D., 14	..	..	5	106	103	..	4½
BANKS.							
Australasia	40	40	14	114/10/	114	..	4½
Bank of N. Q.	7	2	5	40/	..	40/6	5
City of Sydney	10	8	3	87/6	..	85/	5½
Ditto, new	10	9	3	82/6	76/6	..	5½
Com. of Aus.	10	10	..	14/3	13/	15/	..
Ditto, pref.	10	10	3	5/19/6	..	6½	5½
Com. of Sydney	25	12½	10	31½	31	31½	4
N. of Aus., ord.	5	5	6	5½	5/14/	..	5½
Ditto, pref.	16	10	6	..	12	..	..
N.S.W.	20	20	10	51	45	48	4
New Zealand	6⅔	6⅔	12½	9/13/	..	9½	5¾
Q'land National	5	3	..	21/9 N.	21/	23/	..
Royal of Q.	9	6½	4½	5½	5½	5/7/	5
Union	75	25	14	67½	66½	67½	5½
London Bank	22½	7½	..	..	5½	..	..
Ditto, pref.	10	10	..	..	11	..	..
DEPOSITS.							
Com. of Aus., Assets	..	..	4	17/10½	17/10½	..	5½
E.S. and A. Insc., pref.	..	..	4	17/7½	17/6	..	4½
Ditto, def.	..	..	4½	18/	18/	..	5
Ditto, deb.	..	..	4½	18/3	18/3	..	4½
Q'land Natnl.*	..	..	3½	17/6	17/4½	..	4½
STEAM.							
Adelaide S'ship	1	1	10	29/9	29/6	..	6¾
Bal. N. Ferry	1	1	7½	20/	20/6	20/6	5¾
Ill. S. Smith, ord.	1	1	10	45/6	45/6	..	6⅔
Ditto, pref.	1	1	5	21/6	21/	..	..
Howards	1	1	15	30/6	16/	17/6	..
Newcastle	1	1	7	20/	20/	22/9	6
North Coast	1	17/6	8	28/3	28/3	28/4½	5½
Port Jackson	1	1	10	50/6	50/	53/	5½
Sydney Ferries	1	1	10	55/6	54/6	55/6	5¾
Union of N.Z.	1	1	10	32/6	30/	..	6½
INSURANCE.							
A. M. Fire	1	15	24	57/	56/	58/	4
Col. Mutual	1	1	21	66/	62/	..	6½
Mer. Mutual	1	6/	10¾	17/	17/	17/6	4
N. Zealand	1	10/	10	76/6	75/	80/	6½
Queensland	1	10	8	18/3	18/6	..	..
United	1	2½	13	5½	5½	5¾	5½
GAS.							
Albury	1	12/6	10	21/	20/	..	..
Australian	1	6	15	19½	17	..	..
Do., new issue	6	1	15	12½	15	..	..
Charters Towers	10	10	10	14/9	..	..	..
Goulburn	1	1	15	53/6	60/	..	..
Grafton	1	1	15	30/	31/	..	..
[illegible]	1	1	6½	23/	25/	..	..
Maitland	5	5	10	..	9½	..	..
Manly	1	1	10	45	47/6	50/	4¾
Do., new	1	17/6	10	24/	..	46/	4¼
Ryde	1	1	8	..	18/	..	..
Newcastle	8	2	15	6½	..	..	..
Do., new	1	1	10	..	35/	..	..
North Shore	1	1	10	46/	40/	42/	5½
Parramatta	1	1	10	24/	24/	..	..
Sth Brisbane	1	10/	10	..	..	..	..
Ditto, pref.	1	7/	10	..	21/	..	..
BREWERIES.							
C. and W. Brown	1	1	6	10/6	..	11/	7¼
Perkins'	15	15	20	40/	38/9	40/	7½
Toohey's	20	16	5	16/	16/	16/1½	..
Tooth's	1	1	16	45/	45/	..	6¾
MISCELLANEOUS.							
Amos' Ex. Hil.	1	11/	5	5/6	5/9	..	..
A. Taylor, Co.	1	1	10	27/7½	27/	28/	7
Aus. Hat Mills	1	1	8	..	26/	..	..
Aus. Newsp'per	1	1	..	7/3	..	5/	..
Ditto, pref.	1	1	5	10/	..	10/6	10
B.S.W. Supply	15	15	10	17/	17/9	..	8½
Brooks, W.	1	1	8	..	..	20/3	..
Burns, Philp	1	1	10	41/6	44/	44/3	4½
Ditto, 10/ paid	1	10/	10	20/	..	20/	4½
Col. Sugar	20	20	10	48½	48½	48¾	4½
Dalgety, Co.	5	5	8	6/7/6	6	..	..
Dunlop R., pref.	1	1	10	20/	20/	..	..
Ditto, ord.	1	1	10	19/3½	22/6	..	..
Em. B. Rail	1	1	..	3/1	3/3	..	..
Em. P. G.B. M.	1	1	..	2/	2/	..	..
E. Rich, Co.	1	1	11	13/9	..	13/6	7¾
G. Mort, Co.	35	25	4	66	65/9	66/6	6
Goodlet, Smith	15	15	6	19/9	19/6	19/9	6
H. Jones, Ltd.	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
In..	1	1	8	29/	28/6	29/6	5¼
Ditto, contg.	1	10/	5	14/9	14/6	15/	7½
Hotel Metropole	1	1	8	30/	30/6	30/6	5¾
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	21/6	22/6	..	5
R. Mackenzie	1	1	..	19/2	..	..	..
Ditto, pref.	1	1	..	22/	21/	20/	..
M. Clark, Co.	1	1	8	25/	..	25/3	6½
Ditto, pref.	10	10	6	10½	10½	10¾	5¾
Melb. Trams	1	10/	25	42/6	42/3	43/	4½
Mont de Piete	1	1	12½	43/	42/9	43/3	5¾
Mort's Dock	1	1	6	21/6	21/	..	5¾
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	23/9	..	..	5
N.S.W. F.F.I.	12/	10/	6	12/	11/6	11/9	5
Paul and Gray	1	1	10	24/6	..	25/	8
Perdriau	1	1	10	20/	20/	..	6½
Ditto, pref.	1	1	10	..	30/	31/	..
Perm. Trust	5	2/6	10	5/	4/3	4/9	5
Perp. Trust	10	5	10	12/3	12/3	13/3	4½
Pitt, Son, Badgery	1	12/	10	24/	24/6	..	5½
Q. Meat Ex.	1	1	..	..	24/6	..	..
S. H. Gordon	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
R. and Wrench	1	1	5	16/	15/9	22/6	6¼
Sargents, Ltd.	1	1	10	20/	20/1½	..	6½
Sly. Trams	1	1	40	5/3/	5/1/	5/3/	7½
Stan. Waygood	1	1	4	28/	28/	..	7¼
Syd. Cyclorama	1	1	5	15/6	16/	18/	6½
Syd. Exch.	10	10	6	12/8/	12	..	4½
Syd. Hydraulic	1	1	8	21/9	26/2	..	7½
Ditto, contg.	1	10/	8	11/4	10/3	11/	7¼
Syd. R., C.E.	1	1	11½	24/	24/6	26/	6
W. H. Soul	1	1	15	52/6	52/	53/	5¾
Wright Heaton	2½	2½	10	62/6	62/6	..	5
Wunderlich	1	1	8	24/	25/6	25/6	6
Ditto, pref.	1	1	7	23/3	22/6	24/	6
LAND AND BD.							
Haymarket	..	..	..	..	20/	..	..
Indus. Prov.	20	2	6	18	..	16	6½
Inter. Inv.	1	15	12½	30/	31/6	..	6
Newcastle Bldg.	1	1	7½	22/	23/	..	6½
S. Aus. L.M.	7	1	7½	..	18/	21/	..
COAL.							
Abermain	1	18/6	15	33/	32/	..	8½
Bellambi	1	1	15	46/	46/6	..	6½
Caledonia	10	10	10	12½	12	..	8
East Greta	1	1	10	27/6	27/6	27/9	7½
Hebburn	1	1	..	5/	..	5/	..
Hetton	5	5	8	70/	72/	77/	5½
Metrop., 1 pref.	1	1	6	21/6	19/	..	6
Ditto, 2 pref.	1	1	5	12/	10/7½	11/9	8½
Ditto, Trust	..	..	..	/6	..	/9	..
Mt. Kembla	10	10	18	26½	23	..	7
Newcastle	11	10	5	6½	6	6½	7½
North Bulli	1	1	10	24/	..	24/	8½
Seaham	1	1	6	..	..	25/	..
South Greta	10/	10/	..	12/	12/9	..	..
Vale of Clwydd	1	1	10	32/6	30/	34/	6
Wallsend	10	10	20	26½	..	26½	7½
Waratah	6	..	..	..	1/6	..	..
W. and R. Is.	1	1	..	10/6	11/	11/9	..
Ditto, new	1	18/	..	10/	9/	..	..
Ditto, pref.	1	1	..	36/6	35/	..	..

† Where dividends are interim the yield is based on a year's distribution, otherwise on the last half-yearly one. * Plus annual payments of 10/8 per cent. b Ex bonus. †† Ex dividend. ‡ Ex rights.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

BRISBANE, Friday.

Sale:—Royal Bank, ordinary, £5/5/.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

To-day's sales were:—Victorian 3 per cent. Stock, 1920, £88/10/; ditto 4 per cent. Stock, 1923, £104/5/; Commercial Bank, prd., £6/1/6; National Bank, £5/16/; ditto, pref., £12/13/; Royal Bank, 27/6, 27/7½; Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., 66/, 65/9; Melbourne Tramway, 42/9; Howard Smith, 50/; Kauri Timber, 17/2, 17/5, 17/6, 17/4; Potter's Sulphide, 2/6, 2/9, 3/; Harrison, Jones Co-operative, 24/4.

FINANCIAL.

THE FINANCIAL REFERENDUM.

A curious commentary on the financial referendum proposals is afforded by the contrasted attitude of the Sydney and Melbourne opposition.

Here the debts-transfer part of the proposals is being fought, while the 25/ per capita return is being supported.

In Melbourne the debt transfer is being supported, or at least, not opposed, while the 25/ return is being strenuously criticised.

Here an exaggerated notion of "State rights," in Melbourne an exaggerated upholding of the supremacy of the Commonwealth Parliament is the predominant feature.

Here the argument is that the transfer of the debts would have the effect of "leg-roping" the States by restricting their powers as to future borrowing. In Melbourne the argument is that if the Commonwealth is bound under the amended constitution to permanently return 25/ per head of its customs and excise revenue to the States, then it is the Commonwealth that will be "leg-roped."

The referendum proposals are a happy mean between these divergent views. They guarantee the future solvency of the States, while admitting of some systematised management of the debts.

So we can cordially agree with those of the Sydney opponents in so far as they support the 25/ per capita return, and we can also agree with the Melbourne opponents, who see no particular objection to the debts transfer.

Though not inseparable, the two proposals are complementary, and should meet with the approval of the electors.

Their rejection would place the finances of the States in almost inextricable confusion.

Unification is the only alternative to their rejection, and those who had experience of Federal control of the post office for instance have no desire for a system that would enormously enlarge the scope for Commonwealth bungling.

What is wanted in Australia is free and independent States on the one hand, with, on the other, a Commonwealth having full powers and responsibilities in its more restricted sphere under the constitution.

Free and independent States involves States that are financially free, and not solvent only by the grace of the Federal Parliament.

The throwing out of the proposal for the 25/ per capita return would convert the States into the bond slaves of the supreme legislature that now sits in Melbourne.

This was not the intention of the framers of the Constitution, nor do we believe it is the desire of the people of the Commonwealth.

They, being alike citizens of their own particular State, as well as citizens of the wider Commonwealth, will find it difficult to be persuaded that their right hand is the sworn enemy of their left.

LONDON FINANCIAL CABLE NEWS.

Some gold has been withdrawn from the Bank of England during the week, otherwise the figures are not very materially altered from those of a week ago. Money is fractionally dearer in Londnn and Berlin, but easier in Paris. Consols have fallen 5/, whereas several Australian Government securities have improved during the week. Copper has risen £1/3/9; tin has fallen £1/5/, and spelter 2/6. The Bradford market rules firm. Merinos being occasionally a shade higher. The butter market is very firm.

THE AUSTRALIAN BANK OF COMMERCE, LIMITED.

An extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of the Australian Bank of Commerce, Ltd., was held at the head office of the company yesterday, when a resolution to amend the Articles of Association as indicated in the published notices, was carried unanimously. In the absence of Mr. P. H. Morton, Sir William P. Manning was voted to the chair, and the reasons for amendment of the articles were explained by him and Dr. George L. Sly.

AN INSURANCE DEAL.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The London and Lancashire Fire Insurance Company has entered into a provisional agreement with the directors of the Australasian Plateglass Insurance Company to buy the shareholders out at the rate of 30s per share. The capital of the company is 8000 shares paid up to 15s per share. It is intended if the shareholders ratify the agreement to retain the present management.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

From the Law Book Company of Australasia, Limited, we have received a copy of the Bills of Exchange Act, 1909, with an index, by Mr. F. A. A. Russell, barrister-at-law.

We have received from the Department of Trade and Customs a copy of the new regulations under the Commerce Act, which have already been summarised in this column.

LONDON FINANCIAL CABLES.

LONDON, March 4.

The Bank of England reserves in notes and gold were £25,136,000, as against £27,233,000 last week, and £27,675,000 last year. The proportion of reserves to liabilities is 56.73, as against 51.87 last week, and 50.64 last year. The circulation is £28,264,000, as against £27,748,000 last week, and £29,056,000 last year.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes issued..	£53,169,000	Government securities	£11,015,000
		Other securities	7,434,000
		Gold and silver coin	34,720,000
	£53,169,000		£53,169,000

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' capital	£14,553,000	Government securities	£13,976,000
Public deposits	11,219,000	Other securities	29,635,000
Other deposits	40,252,000	Notes	23,905,000
Rest, 7 days, and other bills	2,793,000	Gold and silver coin	1,231,000
	£68,747,000		£68,747,000

MONEY MARKET.

The Bank of England rate of discount was reduced on February 10 to 3 per cent. The open market rate of discount for the best three months' bills is 3-16 higher at 2 5-16 per cent. Short loans are 1-8 higher at 1 5-8 per cent.

The market rate in Paris is 1-8 lower, at 2¼, while in Berlin it is ⅛ higher, at 3¼ per cent.

CONSOLS AND AUSTRALIAN STOCKS.

Current quotations for the Consols and Australasian Government stocks, compared with those of last week and the corresponding period of last year, are:—

—	A year ago.	A week ago.	Yesterday.	Rise or fall.
2½ per cent. Consols	85½	81½	81¼	fall
N.S.W. 4's, 1933, Jan.-July	109	107	107	Unch.
N.S.W. 3½'s, 1918, Mar.-Sept.	98½	98½	98½	Unch.
N.S.W. 3's, 1935, April-Oct.	87½	89	87½*	Unch.
Vict. 4's, 1920, Jan. July	103½	103½	103½	Unch.
Vict. 3½'s, 1921-6, Jan.-July	99	98½	98½	Unch.
Vict. 3's, 1929-49, Jan.-July	87	85½	86	½ rise
S.A. 3½'s, 1930, Jan.-July	100	98	98	Unch.
S.A. 3's, 1916, Jan.-July	84½	84	84½	½ rise
Qld. 4's, 1915-24, Jan.-July	104	103½	104	½ rise
Qld. 3½'s, 1924-30, Jan.-July	98	98	98½	½ rise
Qld. 3's, 1922-47, Jan.-July	85½	85½	86	½ rise
N.Z. 4's, 1929, May-Nov.	107½	106	106½	½ rise
N.Z. 3½'s, 1920-40, Jan.-July	99	98½	98½	Unch.
N.Z. 3's, 1945, April-Oct.	88½*	88	87½	½ rise
Tas. 3½'s, 1940, Jan.-July	97½	97½	97½	Unch.
Tas. 3's, 1920-40, Jan.-July	87	86½	86½	Unch.
W.A. 3½'s, 1915-35, May-Nov.	98½	98½	99	½ rise
W.A. 3's, 1915, May-Nov.	87½	88½	89	½ rise

COMMERCIAL.

THE MARKETS.

One of the most active lines in the markets yesterday was linseed oil. About 400 drums of cheaply-bought Gourepore were placed at slightly under the current market. On top of a good local inquiry Melbourne buyers were in the market, and succeeded in securing some fair parcels. At the close of day holders were very firm, fewer quoting on the lower basis. Fair business was also done in castor at late rates. Whitelead, having declined 10/ per ton in London, was weaker on spot. No denatured cotton seed was on offer. Soya had an advance on the other side of £2 per ton. Metal values were unaltered. Owing to the light supplies of plaster on spot, holders were getting up to 17/6 per cask. Lower prices ruled forward, however. The turnover in teas was good, and the market firm. Grocery business was uneventful. Prices were steady. Of the Mildura fruits only apricots have so far arrived, but lexias are expected next week. Wheat was a little uncertain. In general produce lines local maize dropped /3 per bushel under the pressure of accumulating stocks. Bran advanced 5/ per ton. Forage was dull, but dairy produce active.

SOUTHERN POTATOES.

Mr. G. Bryant, of John Bridge and Co., Ltd., who has just returned from a three-weeks' tour of inspection of the produce trade in Victoria and Tasmania, reports that the condition of the crops generally is very good, particularly as to quality. "I was very much impressed while in Tasmania," said Mr. Bryant, "with the method which they now have for inspecting the potatoes. It is carried out more thoroughly than our own way of examination. At Burnie they use a screen, which two bags out of every ton are passed over under supervision of an inspector, who views the whole lot thoroughly, and cuts any doubtful tuber, proving with satisfaction that those examined are free from serious disease. Practically the same thing occurs at Devonport, which is the main shipping centre, but a screen is not used, the same proportion of potatoes being thrown out on the ground. The trouble that apparently exists at the present time is due more to the hot weather which they have experienced over there than to a disease. Many of the potatoes have been taken up fresh, and in some cases exposed to the hot sun for a month or six weeks. A cool change, however, will modify this trouble to a very great extent. They have not nearly the acreage this year of last, but their yields are undoubtedly up to the average. It is quite evident that the growers and merchants are using every effort to improve the conditions of the crops to obviate any further trouble at this end. For the next two or three months we can expect from 1200 to 1500 tons a week from Tasmania. Then we shall commence to receive our own main crop from the south and west, and later on from the north.

"Victoria has got a large crop of potatoes, but their quality is far from good as compared with last year's. Most farms are similarly affected to the Tasmanians, through the long hot spell which they have had. Ballarat is likely to be affected the most. On the other hand, Gippsland is experiencing a most favourable season, so that we can expect the best potatoes from there."

W. C. DOUGLASS, 33-5 Liverpool-street, Sydney, holds large stocks of everything appertaining to the Grocery Trade. Special Wholesale Agent for "A.B.C." Tea, "Breakfast D-light," "Bovril," "Bird's Custard Powders," Daum's Extract of Coffee, Courtney's Sauce, Bahia Cocoa, Reiness Tobacco.—Advt.

PEAS, OATS, AND ONIONS.

Tasmanian farmers this year have increased their production of peas and oats. The average of each of these has been very largely increased. These crops are looking splendid, the yields being quite satisfactory.

The onion crop of Victoria is very large, and we have already received very large consignments from there. The opinion prevails that it will be the best all-round crop for many seasons past. Agriculture in the States may be regarded as in a sound condition, especially as prices so far have been rather above the average.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

STOCKS IN BOND.

The stocks of merchandise in bond other than wines, spirits, and narcotics on March 4, also at the corresponding period of last year, and the movements of the week, were:—

—	Imported.	Duty Paid.	Exported.	Total issue during the week.	In Bond, Friday.
Hops, lb.	736	—	596	30,472	45,549
Candles, boxes	—	150	3	6,861	8,394
Milk, cases	—	—	15	3,764	6,568
Rice, sacks	—	2,493	495	20,288	9,870
Rice, bags	8,022	4,900	3,154	15,288	22,153
Vinegar, casks	—	—	—	225	337
Vinegar, cases	—	150	—	516	1,205
Galv. iron, cases	—	—	4	778	742
Glucose, casks	—	13	—	135	441
Glucose, cases	—	—	5	791	179
Salt, sacks	—	550	3	4,000	22,213
Salt, bags	—	11	105	11,908	22,308
Rock salt, tons	—	—	—	30	30
Cement, casks	—	—	5	5,000	2,603
Currants, lb.	—	2,397	415	146,987	424,190
Raisins, lb.	200	5,911	61	254,956	170,094
Dates, lb.	21,000	7,416	163	117,571	44,535
Other fruits, lb.	—	1,690	—	84,791	26,963
Coffee, lb.	12,776	8,311	3,565	92,852	57,332

SUGAR.

The market was firm. The Colonial Sugar Refining Company quoted No. 1H (brewers' crystals), £23/10/ per ton; No. 1X (confectioners' crystals), £23; No. 1ND (large granulated, for manufacturers), £22/10/; No. 1A (fine granulated, for table use), £22/10/; No. 1 (FW), £22/10/; No. 2 (IC), £22/5/; and No. 3, £20/5/; tablets, in 56lb bags, 27/ per cwt; icing and castor sugar, in 56lb bags, 27/6 per cwt; coffee crystals, in 70lb bags, 25/6 per cwt; golden syrup, £15 per ton; treacle, £11 per ton, in hogsheads, quarter casks, and kegs.

The Millaquin and Yengarie Company quoted Millaquin 1A, £22/10/; ditto, No. 1, £21/5/; ditto, A/X (soft), £22/5/; ditto, B/X (soft), £22.

	Imp.	Duty pd.	Exp.	In Bond.
December 1	4,216	664	166	40,008
January 7	48	1,048	877	38,190
January 14	3,706	1,395	323	40,174
January 21	248	1,482	778	38,161
January 28	—	971	84	37,881
February 4	3,073	1,516	1,207	37,185
February 19	5,800	1,541	646	38,578
February 25	200	1,389	577	36,811
March 4	249	1,559	666	34,994

Prices for German 88 per cent. beet sugar, f.o.b. Hamburg, and first marks granulated, as cabled from London yesterday, compare with prices ruling earlier as follows:—

	German beet. Per cwt.	Granulated. Per cwt.
Yesterday	14/4	16/4
A week ago	14/11	15/11
A month ago	12/11	15/2
A year ago	10/2	12/3
Two years ago	10/3	12/1

EASTERN PRODUCE.

Rice: Best Japan, £20 per ton; locally dressed, £16 to £18 per ton, in 50lb bags.

Sago: £13 per ton in parcels, 13/6 per cwt in small lots.

Tapioca: Medium pearl, £13/15/ per ton in parcels; 14/ per cwt, in sacks.

Pearl barley: 13/ per cwt in sacks, 13/ per cwt in 56lb bags.

Tartaric crystals, /10½ to /11; powdered, /10½.

Bluestone: Macclesfield, £23/10/, in distributing lots.

Split peas: 16/6 in sacks; 16/9 in 56lb bags.

Seeds: Canary, 17/6 per cwt; hemp, 22/ in parcels; Rape, 23/ per cwt. Linseed, 22/ per cwt. for crushed, and 19/6 for whole; ton lots, £18. Mixed birdseed, 19/ per cwt.

Spices: Cloves, 1/ per lb; nutmegs, /9 in case lots, /10 to 1/ smaller quantities; mace, 2/ per lb; pimento, /2½ to /9 per lb; caraway seeds, /9 per lb. Pure white pepper, /11 per lb; mixed, /7; pure black, /9 per lb; mixed, /6. Stick cinnamon, 1/ per lb. Mixed spice, loose, /10, 1oz packets 1/. Nutmegs, case lots, /8½ to /9, small lots /10 to 1/.

Oatmeals: 7lb bags, 19/6 per cwt; flaked, 7lb bags, 20/6 per cwt, 2lb packets, 5/ per doz; rolled oats, 7lb bags, 21/ to 28/ per cwt, according to brand.

Whole bleached ginger, /5½ parcels, /9½ in small quantities; ground ginger, /9½ to /10½.

Desiccated coconaut, /6¼.

OILS.

Kerosene (per gallon): Snowflake, ex store, Sydney and Newcastle, /10½ per gallon; engine kerosene, /7½ to /8 per gallon, forward and f.o.b. Sydney and Newcastle.

Motor car spirit: 1/6 4-gallon tins, 1/8 2-gallon tins.

Benzine: 1/4 per gallon; gasoline, 2/5.

Turpentine (per gallon): Pratt's, 4/ in distributing lots. Pinetree, distributing lots, 3/10½ to 3/11.

Castor: Spot, 3/2, in cases, 3/3 distributing lots.

China: Pure, 4/8; denaturated (under Customs supervision), 2/9 (in 4's) and 2/ (in 1's).

Linseed oil (per gallon): First brands, spot, raw, 4/2 to 4/3; double boiled, 4/5; second brands, raw 4/1¼, boiled 4/3½; local, 3/11 in drums, 3/9 in casks.

Cottonseed: Shanghai, 5/; American, winter drawn, 5/3 to 5/6; denaturated, 2/10 (in 4's), 3/ in 1's and 2's); Morrison burning oil, gallon tins, 3/ for parcels.

Rapeseed: No. 1, 3/3; special, 3/6; Colza, recognised brands, 4/ to 4/6, in 5-gallon drums.

Soya: Japanese, £26, c.i.f.e.; English, refined, £27.

Japanese fish: No. 1 Yokohama herring, 1/6½ to 1/7 per gallon on spot, c.i.f.e. to arrive £19 per ton.

Whale: 1/9 to 2/ per gallon, according to description.

Cod: Japanese, 1/9 net; Norwegian, 2/2; Newfoundland, 2/1.

Mineral turpentine: 1/4 gallon.

Creosote: Pure, 2/ per gallon in casks, 2/3 in drums.

Whitelead: First brands in cwts £29/5/ to £29/10/ per ton; in quarters, £30 to £30/10/; second brands, £1 10/ £2 less.

Redleads: First brands, £27 to £27/10/, £1 more for quarters; second brands, £1 less (cwts); second brands, £26/10/; quarters, 15/ more.

Zinc, white: Dry, Australian, £27; Engnan, £32 to £33; genuine ground in oil, Australian, £38 per ton, imported £42 to £44.

Neatsfoot: Pure, 2/4 to 2/6 cask, 2/7 to 2/10 drum; compound, 2/1 to 2/3.

Stockholm tar: Local, 5/9 in drums; casks, 38/; imported, 5/6.

Fly-blown sheep oil, Australian, 2/9 in drums, for distributing lots.

METALS.

Fencing wire:—

Black German, ex store, No. 8 £8/12/6, No. 10 £9/2/6; American, No. 8 £8/15/ to £8/17/6, No. 10 £9/5/.

Galvanised: German, No. 6 £10/10/, No. 8 £10 to £10/2/6, No. 10 £10/7/6, No. 12 £11/15/ to £12; American, No. 8 £10/5/, No. 10 £10/15/.

Barbed: Australian, 12-gauge £14/15/, 14-gauge £16/15/, special 12-gauge £17, 14-gauge £18/10/; German, £14/10/ and £16; American, Iowa, No. 12 £15, No. 14 £16/10/; long-distance English, £17/7/6 and £18/15/ for 12 and 14 gauge respectively.

G. and C. Iron: First brands £17/17/6, second brands £17/7/6, third brands £6/17/6, in 6ft lengths; in 9ft lengths 15/ more; 11ft lengths, 30/ more than 6ft; unbranded, on spot, £16, up to 8ft lengths.

Plain g. iron: 24, 26, and 28 gauge, first brands, £17/2/6, £17/7/6, and £19/2/6; 10/ less for second brands.

Bar iron: £10/15/ in ton lots; shoeing iron, £11/15/; shoeing steel, 12/ to 12/6 per cwt.

Steelplates: £12/10/ per ton, ¼in, 12-gauge.

Hoop iron: Galvanised £16 per ton, black £11 per ton.

Ingot tin: 1/6 per lb.

Sheet lead: £18 in full rolls; sheet zinc, £30 to £30/10/.

Piping: English makes—Black, 73½ off list; galvanised, 66½; steam, 63½. Fittings, 2½ per cent., less discount.

Guttering and downpiping: 40 to 45 per cent. off list.

Wire nails: List for ton lots, up to 5 tons, 2½ per cent. off, over 5 tons 5 per cent. on list for small lots.

Galvanised roofing screws: 48/ per cwt.

Tinplates: I.C. Coke, 20 x 14 16/3 spot, 28 x 20 34/; I.C. Charcoal, 19/3.

Plaster: King's Windsor, to arrive, 14/ to 15/; on spot, 17/6.

Cartridges: 12-g. C.F., 72/6; 22 calibre, R.F., black powder, 12/3 short, 14/6 long; smokeless, 14/3 to 16/9.

Cement: Imported first brands, 13/6 to 14/, in distributing lots, according to brand. Cheaper forward.

Explosives: Dynamite, 43/6; geligmite, 41/; gelatine dynamite, 50/6; blasting gelatine, 50/6 per case of 50lb; ordinary blasting powder, /6½ per lb; fuse, first brands, double tape, /5½ per coil, in cases of 300 coils; second brands, /4 per coil.

Iron tanks: 400-gal., to 75/; 200-gal., to 27/6.

Rabbit traps: Griffith's, 10/6; Sidebottom's, 9/; Jump, 9/; Scotsman, 8/9, forward delivery.

Axes: Kelly's, 43/ to 44/; Collins's, 43/ to 44/.

Nettings: Australian, 42 x 1½ x 17, A £30/5/, B £28; 42 x 1¼ x 18, A £28/5/6, B £28; 42 x 1¼ x 17, A £27, B £24/12/6; 42 x 1½ x 18, A £29/5/, B £18/7/6; 42 x 1½ x 17, A £27, B £25/5/; 42 x 1¼ x 18, A £20/7/6, B £19/7/6; 36 x 1¼ x 17, A £21/17/6, B £21/12/6; 36 x 1½ x 18, A £26/17/6, B £26/2/6. Leading English, 42 x 1¼ x 17, A £29/10/, B £27/10/; 42 x 1¼ x 18, A £22/10/, B £21/10/; 42 x 1¼ x 17, A £25/5/, B £23; 42 x 1½ x 18, £18/2/6; 36 x 1¼ x 18, £23/5/; 36 x 1½ x 18, £18/17/6; 36 x 1¼ x 17, £20; 36 x 1¼ x 18, £15/10/.

JUTE.

Jute: New standard cornsacks, on spot, nominally 4/6, old standard 7/9, in parcels.

Branbags: 3/7½.

Woolpacks: 1/11½ spot, and two months forward, later months 1/11½ to 2/.

Ore pockets: 16oz 2/4½, 20oz 3/4.

CHEMICALS.

Resin: "G" grade, to £11/15/; "N" grade, £14/10/ to £14/15/ spot.

Cream of tartar: 96 per cent., /7½ to /8; 99 per cent., /8½ to /8¾.

Sodas: Bicarbonate (Brunner Mond), £7/15/ in 2's, £8 to £8/5/ in 1's; mineral water strength, tinted, (Brunner Mond), £8/13/ to £7; caustic, Muspratts, in parcels, £13/10/ spot; Greenbank's, in parcels, £13/15/; silicate soda, liquid, £7 for parcels, lump £8 parcels; soda ash, £6/15/ in 10's, 12's, 3's £7/10/, 5's £7.

Glycerine: 119/6 per cwt.

Borax: Powder, £20; crystals, £19, in parcels, in 1cwt kegs; 2cwt kegs, 10/ less.

Boracic: 45/ per cwt.

Carb-ammonia: 56/ per cwt, in ½-cwt cases.

Muriate of ammonia: £36 per ton.

Flowers of sulphur: Parcels, £8.

Carbide: Standard description, £13.

ASSAY OF JEWELLERY.

A margin of .025 is to be allowed in the assay test of silver goods bearing a hall mark or described as "real" or "sterling" (i.e., .925 fine).

The amount of wool manifested to arrive at Darling Harbour yesterday totalled 233 bales.

BREADSTUFFS.

The wheat market was quiet. London, according to private cables, had an easier tone. On spot up to 4/1 might be obtained for prompt parcels, although 4/0½ about represented the general buying level. Very little business was reported.

Flour was dull. To the local baking trade quotations ranged from £9/15/ to £10/5/. Export business was difficult to do except at a discount on £9.

At Darling Harbour yesterday 4154 tons of wheat and 56 tons of flour were manifested to arrive.

LONDON MARKET CABLES.

SILVER.

LONDON, March 3.

Bar silver is quoted to-day 1/11 7-16 per ounce standard.

BUTTER.

LONDON, March 4, 1.45 a.m.

The butter market is very firm. Colonial arrivals are all cleared, Australian bringing 120/ for choicest, and occasionally 123/. Secondaries are scarce and quite at 116/ to 118/. New Zealand choicest is worth 122/ to 124/, secondary 113/. Danish is quoted at 128/ to 130/, and Argentine at 120/ to 122/.

CHEESE.

Cheese is dull. New Zealand coloured is quoted at 58/ to 59/, white 59/ to 60/.

SUGAR.

Beet sugar is quoted higher at 14/4 for German 88 per cent., and 16/4 for first marks granulated.

BRADFORD TOPS.

The Bradford market is quiet. Tops are firm, merinoes occasionally being a shade higher.

METALS.

Yesterday's closing quotations, compared with those of a week ago, were:—

Copper.—Spot, b £60/11/3, s £60/16/3, £1/3/9 higher on the week; three months, b £61/3/9, s £61/13/9, £1/3/9 higher on the week.

Electrolytic.—£62/15/.

Tin.—Spot, b £149/17/6, s £150/7/6, £1/5/ lower; three months, b £151/10/, s £152, £1 lower.

Pig-iron.—51/8, 5/ higher.

Spelter.—B, £23, s £23/2/6, 2/6 lower.

METAL PRICES.

THE WEEK'S MEAN QUOTATIONS.

COPPER.

	Spot.	Three Months.
Feb. 26	£59 13 9	£60 10 0
March 1	59 12 6	60 10 0
March 2	59 12 6	60 12 6
March 3	60 3 9	61 1 3
March 4	60 13 9	61 11 3
A year ago	57 0 0	57 15 0

TIN.

	Spot.	Three Months.
Feb. 26	£151 5 6	£152 15 0
March 1	149 2 6	150 12 6
March 2	148 18 0	150 2 6
March 3	149 10 0	151 2 6
March 4	150 2 6	151 15 0
A year ago	130 15 0	132 15 0

LEAD.

Feb. 26	£13 5 7½
March 2	13 3 9
March 3	13 5 0
A year ago	13 7 6

WHEAT.

The wheat markets are dull, the American markets being lower. In Chicago May wheat is quoted at 1.15 3-8dol to 1.14⅞dol per bushel. There is but little demand on the Continent, with little prospect of any improvement in the inquiry, while liberal shipments continue. 38/9 is asked for N.S.W. February, 39/6 for South Australian and Victorian steamer January shipment, and 39/9 was paid for a steamer parcel afloat, and 38/1½ for a steamer parcel from all ports for March-April shipment. There is but little inquiry for parcels on spot, with prices nominally unchanged.

FLOUR.

The flour market is quiet. A fair quantity of Australian afloat ante-March shipment has been sold at about 28/ per sack c.i.f. London.

GRAIN FREIGHTS.

The grain freight market is quiet, a fixture being made from Sydney on spot at 20/3.

LONDON SHEEPSKIN SALES.

At the public sales of sheepskins, held in London this week, the position of the market, according to a telegram received by Dalgety and Co., Limited, from their head office, was that prices for combing skins were at par to ¼d per lb. higher, and for clothing skins ¼d per lb lower, as compared with the rates in force at the previous sales on January 21.

Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Ltd., report the receipt of a similar cable.

Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, beg to report having received from their London agents, Messrs. Sanderson, Murray, and Co., the undermentioned cablegram, dated March 3:—"For full wools the market has advanced ¼d per lb, half-wools being without material change, while shorn pelts have declined ¼d per lb."

LONDON BUTTER MARKET.

Dalgety's London message reports the butter market in the United Kingdom as firm at the prices given below.

The official quotation in Copenhagen for Danish butter was advanced 3/6 per cwt. last Thursday. Imports into the United Kingdom for the week ended last Saturday totalled 82,000cwt, as compared with 74,000cwt. for the corresponding week of last year, an increase of 8000cwt. Current rates for finest quality in London are:—

New Zealand, salted	124/ per cwt.
Danish	129/ per cwt.
Australian, salted and unsalted	122/ per cwt.

As there are no stored stocks in the United Kingdom and the supply is short, there is every prospect of a good market for some weeks, provided prices are not forced too high.

Mr. M. G. H. Jefferson (representative Ellis, Kislingbury, and Co., butter salesmen, London) advises receipt of cablegram referring to values of Australian butter on the London market this week. The butters shipped by the Mooltan from Sydney on January 15 have been on offer, and have realised from 2/ to 4/ per cwt. more than last week's values. Choice salted is quoted at 120/ per cwt., and choicest unsalted 123/ to 125/. At the advanced prices the Home market is firm. For shipments leaving Sydney during the present month it is expected that 108/ to 110/ per cwt. will be realised. Next mail boat due in London is the Orvieto, on March 5.

INTERSTATE MARKETS.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Wheat was steady, but rather quiet at 4/1. Flour was quiet at £10. Bran was active at £4/15/ ex mill. Some sellers were asking higher rates. Pollard sold at £5. Malting barley was firm. Prime sold from 4/ to 4/; choice occasionally slightly higher. Algerian oats were steady. Algerian milling sold from 2/2 to 2/2½; about 1500 bags being sold. Prime was quoted at 2/3; Feed was dull at 2/ to 2/1; heavy occasionally 2/1½. Maize was weak at 3/1; small lots to 3/2. Chaff was steady. Oaten sold from 47/6 to 57/6; wheaten, 50/ to 60/. Hay was firm. Manger hay, old sold from 8/ to 85/; new, 70/ to 80/; manger sheaves, 50/ to 55/; chaffing sheaves, 40/ to 45/. Potatoes were steady. Prime Gippsland sold from 70/ to 75/; choice occasionally to 80/; Warrnambool, 70/ to 72/6; special to 75/; Colac, etc., 60/ to 65/. Onions were dull. Spanish sold from 60/ to 65/.

Business in tea includes 100 packages Ceylon up to /8½, 150 packages lower-grade Indians, and large sales of China tea for other States. Cleaned Amalia currants were selling at /5¾. Fair business was done in dates on spot. Cornsacks sold from 4/8½ to 4/9, forward delivery. Branbags sold from 3/7½ to 3/8 on spot, and 3/7 to arrive per Ilonna. Woolpacks sold on the 2/ basis for 11¼lb. loose tops, forward delivery. Cement was selling freely at 13/ to 13/6. Linseed oil was in strong demand, and quotations for leading brands were /1 dearer.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

TRADE IN SUSSEX-STREET.

ONIONS SELLING BETTER—MAIZE CHEAPER.

Had it not been for a "casing order" arriving from San Francisco for onions, merchants consider that the market would have fallen to £3, whereas when this order was executed there was a good deal of animation in the market, and prices kept well up at £4. A good clearance has been made with most lines, and the glut has diminished. Globe varieties have practically finished, and no further lots of prime sorts are expected. The maize market was undecided, the whole trouble being caused through the variation of the qualities held by agents. There was certainly a weakness, the difficulty existing being the price to ask. Some wanted a 3/ market for best new grain, and others considered 3/3 ought still to be charged. The demand was small, and stocks were accumulating. The shipment was smaller than anticipated, 1800 bags arriving. Out of this cargo 10 bags to every 100 were calculated only fit to send away for the orders, as most of it was inclined to go mouldy in a few days, and was unfit for cracking. Buyers would not pay more than 3/ for the best river, so that many holders were forced to accept this price. As all the best potatoes in the recent shipment have now been sold, the remaining lots were moving at about 5/ less. The import chaff market was in the same position as with maize, there being accumulated stocks of inferior stuff on hand. Those who held a few choice lots were endeavouring to get top rates for them. The best of the wheaten straw offering brought £3; there was plenty of inferior samples with this line also. The Millers' Association increased bran 5/; pollard was unaltered.

Current quotations were:—

FEED-GRAIN AND OFFAL.

Maize.—Victorian: Prime yellow, 3/5 to 3/6. South African: 3/3. Northern river; Prime new 3/, old 3/ per bus.

Barley.—Victorian: Cape, 3/; English, nominal per bus.

Peas.—Tasmanian: Blue, 4/8 to 4/8; grey, 4/ per bus.

Oats.—Tasmanian: White, 2/7. Algerian: Feed, 2/1, milling 2/3 to 2/5 per bushel.

Bran.—Association price £4/10/; pollard, £6/10/ per ton.

FORAGE.

Chaff.—Victorian: Wheaten, nominal to £4; oaten, £3 to £3/10/ per ton.

Oaten Hay.—Victorian: £3/15/ per ton.

Derrick Straw.—Tasmanian: Oaten, £2/5/ to £2/10/; wheaten, £3 per ton.

Lucerne.—Hunter River: Best qualities, £2/10/ to £3/5/, other sorts £2 per ton.

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes.—Tasmanian: Redskins, £5/15/; whites, £5/10/ per ton. Victorian: Pinkeyes, £4/10/.

Onions.—Victorian: Brown Spanish, £4; Globe, £2 to £2/10/ per ton.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

BUTTER SELLING WELL—EGGS DEARER.

There was a better retail trade with butter. Grocers bought in much larger quantities as the last shipments showed an improvement in appearance and condition on the previous one, owing to the cooler weather which has been experienced in most districts. Private information from London stated that the market there remained firm at a little higher rates. The poor quality cheese at cut prices had a good sale, but the dearer makes were slow in moving off. Heavy bacon was hard to quit, but light to medium weights were in fair request. From the Northern rivers only 115 cases of eggs arrived. The demand for all classes showed an improvement, and as the supplies did not increase correspondingly, prices advanced about /1 all round. Special brands of lard were reduced /0½, and so were hams.

Current quotations were:—

Butter.—First grade 96/, medium 92/ to 94/, seconds 88/ to 90/, inferior from 80/ per cwt.

Cheese.—Prime loaf and large /5 to /5½, lines /4½, good /4 to /4½, rough /2½ to /3½, special brands /6½ per lb.

Lard.—Packets /5½ to /6; bulk, /5 to /5½; special brands, packets /6½, bulk /6 per lb.

Hams.—Bacon hams, /10 to /11; prepared, /11 to 1/; special 1/1½ to 1/1½ per lb.

Bacon.—Prime factory, sides /8 to /8½; flitches, /7½ to /8½; middles, /9 to /10; special sides, /9½; flitches, /8 to /8½, middles /10½ per lb.

Eggs.—Northern river, /10 to /11, choice 1/; southern and railway, 1/ to 1/2, choice 1/3; suburban, new-laid, 1/3 to 1/5, choice 1/6; duck eggs, new laid, choice large 1/4, choice 1/2 to 1/3 per doz.

Messrs. Mossman and Ellis report having obtained the following prices at their auction sale on Friday:—Eggs, case to /14½, new-laid /15½ to /17, choice suburban /18, duck to /17 per dozen; fowls, young roosters 3/ to 5/3, choice suburban 7/3, small from 2/, fat hens 3/6 to 4/, choice suburban 4/9; ducks, English, 2/3 to 3/3, choice suburban, 4/3; ditto, Muscovy, 3/ to 5/6, choice suburban 4/; drakes, Muscovy 4/ to 5/6, choice suburban 6/9; hen turkeys, young from 5/, good 7/ to 8/, no choice to hand; cock turkeys, young from 6/ to 9/, medium to 11/, good to 20/, few extra prime to 32/ per pair; geese, to 6/6; guineafowls, to 5/9; pigeons, to 1/9 per pair; carcase pork, to /6½ per lb; carcase veal, to /3 per lb. A good demand exists for new-laid eggs and choice poultry. Young turkeys are coming to market freely, but are too small to realise satisfactory prices.

APIARY PRODUCTS.

Choice honey made good sales, poor descriptions were in large supply, and were easy in price.

Current quotations were:—

Honey.—Western, 60lb tins, choice /3½ to /3¾, good /2½ to /3¼; Northern river, /2 to /2½; rough and candied, /1 to /2½ per lb.

Beeswax.—Prime clear, 1/1 to 1/2; dark, 1/ to 1/1 per lb.

POULTRY.

Old hens and young roosters made the best sales. Ducks were hard to clear. Values were unchanged.

The following prices were received:—

Old hens, choice 3/9, good 3/ to 3/3; roosters, choice 5/, good 3/ to 4/; chickens, large 2/6; grillers, 1/ to 2/; mixed coops, 3/ to 3/6; English ducks, 2/ to 2/9; geese, choice 5/6, good 5/; Muscovy ducks, 3/ to 4/6; drakes, 4/6 to 5/; turkey gobblers, choice 15/, good 12/, light 9/ to 10/; turkey hens, choice 7/ to 10/, good 6/ to 7/; guineafowls, 4/6 to 5/6; pigeons, 1/2 to 1/6 per pair.

FIREWOOD.

Close on 65 truckloads were offered, and as there was a good attendance of buyers good sales were made for all classes, with the exception of bakers' wood.

The following prices were realised:—

Best boxwood, 15/ to 16/6, good 14/ to 15/; ironbark and stringybark, 10/6 to 14/6; best bakers' wood, 13/6, good 12/ to 13/ per ton.

AUCTION SALES.

REDFERN RAILWAY MARKET.

At the Redfern station auction saleyards yesterday morning the market for chaff was firmer, while lucerne hay and all other lines remained at about the same as at the previous day's sale. Chaff was in heavy supplies, but prime and choice qualities were entirely absent, only medium to good class being yarded, and there was 41 truckloads of this. Buyers were in fair attendance, and, being anxious to operate, bidded briskly, consequently chaff of that class rose to the extent of 5/ per ton, selling at from 3/4 to 4/, inferior 2/4. Oaten was fairly heavily supplied, but, the quality being poor, auctioneers were forced to sell at low rates of from 3/1 to 3/3. Dairymen had eleven consignments of lucerne hay submitted to them, and they, as usual, gave good attention to the good hay, while the poorer class was passed over. Prime green, in Mudgee bales, was disposed of at from 3/6 to 3/10, large bales of medium 2/6. Medium rye straw found buyers at 2/3. Prime chickwheat sold at 3/9. Watermelons went off at—small /7, large 2/9.

The offerings were:—Chaff 41 trucks, lucerne hay 12, rye straw 1, watermelons 1, chickwheat 1.

The following sales were effected:—

Chaff.—From A. R. Kirkman, Woodstock, (5427) 3/4, (1968) 3/6, (2956) 3/4, (6474) 3/4; ex Greenethorpe, (1896) 2/4, (10736) p 3/5, (3650) 3/6, (2842) 3/3, (14031) 3/8, (10960) p 2/1; Purdie, Greenethorpe, (2838) p 3/; Matthews, Bonnco, (2943) no offer; Douglas, Greenthorpe (3379) 3/3, (5456) p 3/; Rowlands, Wangoola, (2455) 3/5; Mason, Tranquility, (221) 3/2; M'Garry, Forbes, (2575) 3/1; Webb, Blayney, (5657) 3/8; M'Grath, Derrain, (1110) 3/9; Howard, Brewongle, (2670) 3/1; Glarebrook, Perthville, (2456) p 3/6; Maxwell and Bouse, Derrain, (14295) 4/2; Bosse, 3/9; Fitch, Narromine, (8146) 4/; Bullock, Blayney, (5760) 3/9; Maxwell, Derrain, (11470) 3/7, (14102) 3/7; Jack Kelly, Derrain, (6359) p 3/6; Saunders and Kelly, Derrain, (3384) p 3/6; Purdie, Grenfell, (3347) 3/; Colbert, Blayney, (146) 3/; Stone, Uranquinty, (15615) 4/4; Thomas, Grenfell, (11350) p 3/7; ex Dubbo, (3940) p 2/4; Bonnor, Orange, (15128) 3/10; Kirkman, Lyndhurst, (5175) p 3/11, (13119) 4/; Howard, Brewongle, (14278) 3/7; Pyle, Berrigan, (5236) 3/5; Wright, Canmain, (633) no offer per cwt.

Lucerne Hay.—From Jas. Burns, Mudgee, (15145) p 3/2; May, Mulgrave, (14303) 2/; L. M'Kinnon, Mocubi, (13089) p 3/, (2749) p 2/5; Jones, Mudgee, (15259) 3/10; A. E. Tomkins, Mudgee, (14167) green p 3/1, brown p 2/2; R. Mogg, Mudgee, (1445) 3/6; J. Smith, Mudgee, (11478) 3/9; Keech, Mudgee, (1685) p 3/8; Grant, Bomen, (2377) 3/; Kirkwood, West Maitland, (11844) p 2/6; Clarke, West Maitland, (12207) 2/1 per cwt.

Rye Straw.—Ex Millthorpe, (10665) 2/3 per cwt.

Wheat.—Ex Darling Harbour, (12035) 3/9 per bushel.

Melons.—From H. J. Holley, Penrith, (1487) large 3/9, small /7 per dozen.

VEGETABLE MARKET.

Belmore was fairly heavily stocked yesterday morning, and business being brisk a good turnover is reported. Cabbages sold at the same firm rates, while peas were, if anything, slightly easier, and beans dearer. The rates on all other lines remained unaltered.

The current quotations were:—

Cabbages, large 6/ to 6/6, medium 3/6 to 4/6, small 2/ to 3/ per dozen; pumpkins, large 3/ to 4/, medium, 2/6, small 1/ to 1/6 per dozen; lettuce, /6 to 1/ per doz; cucumbers, /6 to 1/ per dozen; vegetable marrows, 1/ to 3/ per dozen; carrots, /6 to 1/6 per dozen; parsnips, 1/ to 1/9 per dozen; white turnips, 1/ to 1/6 per dozen; spinach, /6 to 1/ per dozen; beetroot, /6 to 1/ per dozen; eschalots, /6 to 1/ per dozen; leeks, /6 to 1/ per dozen; parsley, 1/ per dozen; mint, /6 per dozen; herbs, /6 per dozen; watercress, 1/ to 2/ per dozen; rhubarb, 1/ to 2/ per dozen; celery, 1/6 to 2/ per dozen; radishes, /6 per dozen; horseradish, per dozen bunches, 5/ to 10/; potatoes, Early Rose, 5/ to 6/ per cwt; kidney potatoes 14/ per cwt; French beans, /9 to 1/6; green peas 2/6 to 4/6; tomatoes, 1/ to 1/6 per quarter-case, 1/ to 2/6 per half-case; watermelons, large 5/, medium 3/, small 1/6; onions, 4/ to 5/.

FRUIT MARKETS.

BANANAS DEARER—APPLES AND PEARS PLENTIFUL.

Victorian and Tasmanian consignments of apples and pears were under offer. They met good attention, choice ripe descriptions quitting freely at good prices. Local sorts were somewhat easier through competing with imported varieties. Bananas were dearer on account of the stocks lightening. Pineapples were plentiful, and sold at easy rates.

Current quotations were:—

Apples.—Local: Dessert, choice 7/ to 8/; cooking, choice 4/6 to 5/, medium 3/ to 3/6. Tasmanian: Alexanders, coloured 5/ to 5/6, others 4/ to 4/6; Ripstones, choice 5/ to 5/6, good 4/ to 4/6; codlins, 5/ to 5/6. Victorian: Jonathans, extra choice 8/ to 8/6, choice 6/ to 7/, small 3/ to 4/ per export case.

Bananas.—G.M., 11/6 to 12/ per case, 3/6 to 5/6 per bunch; Fiji, 10/6 to 11/6 per case, 2/6 to 5/6 per bunch, 5/6 to 6/6 loose; Queensland, 6/ to 6/6 per case, 1/6 to 2/6 per bunch.

Grapes.—Local: Muscats, 4/ to 5/, dark 3/ to 3/6, small 2/6, whites 3/, small 2/6 per box.

Lemons.—Local: Choice coloured 5/6 to 6/, medium 3/ to 4/, small and rough 1/6 to 2/ per gin-case; green 3/ to 4/ per gin-case. Italian: 9/ per half-case.

Oranges.—Local: Choice 14/ to 16/, medium 7/ to 8/, rough 5/ to 6/; second crop, choice 5/ to 6/, medium 3/ to 3/6, small 1/ per gin-case. Italian: 12/6 to 14/ per half-case, £1 to £1/2/6 per double-case.

Nuts.—Coconauts, 10/ to 10/6 per bag, 1/6 to 2/6 per dozen; peanuts, /5½; walnuts /8 to /8½; almonds, /9½; Lychee, /11½; Barcelonas, /8; Poplar, /9 per lb.

Pears.—Local: Williams, choice 7/ to 8/, medium 5/ to 6/, small 3/6 to 4/; China, 2/ to 3/ per gin-case; other sorts, 1/6 to 3/ per gin-case. Victorian: Williams, 7/ to 9/ per bushel-case; G.B., 8/9; B.C., extra choice 7/6 to 8/6, choice 6/6 to 7/ per packer. Tasmanian: G.B., 5/; Williams', 4/ per half-case.

Plums.—Local: Angelinas, choice 2/6 to 3/, medium 2/ to 2/6 per half-case; Satsumas, choice 3/ to 3/6, medium 1/6 per half-case. Jam lots: Dark, 2/6 to 3/, medium 1/6 to 2/ per half-case; light choice 2/ to 2/6, medium 1/6 to 2/ per half-case; bloods, 3/ to 3/6 per gin-case. Pond's Seedlings, choice 4/6 to 5/, medium 2/6 to 3/ per half-case. Victorian: Jam lots, 1/6 per quarter-case.

Peaches.—Local: Slipstones, choice 5/ to 5/6, medium 3/ to 3/6 per half-case, small 2/ to 2/6 per half-case; clingstones, choice 3/ to 3/6, medium 1/6 to 2/6 per half-case, small 2/6 to 3/6 per gin-case.

Passionfruit.—Choice 3/ to 3/6, medium 1/ to 1/6 per half-case, small and rough unsaleable.

Pineapples.—Choice Queens, 4/6 to 5/, good 3/6 to 4/, commons and Ripleys, choice 5/6, good 3/6 to 4/6 per dozen.

Persimmons.—Choice 3/6 to 4/, medium 2/ to 2/6 per half-case.

Rockmelons.—Local: Choice 4/ to 4/6, medium 2/ to 2/6 per gin-case, inferior unsaleable.

Tomatoes.—Local: Choice coloured 2/6 to 3/ per half-case, medium 1/6, inferior from /6 per half-case; green, choice 2/ to 3/ per gin-case. Tasmanian: 1/6 to 2/ per half-case.

Watermelons.—Local: Large 6/ to 7/, medium 3/ to 4/, small 1/6 to 2/ per dozen.

Quinces.—Choice 3/ to 3/6, medium 2/ to 2/6 per gin-case.

STOCK TRUCKINGS.

The following truckings have been ordered for the forthcoming sales:—March 7, 235 sheep vans and 90 cattle waggons; and for March 10, 500 sheep vans and 105 cattle waggons.

CITY YARDS.

There were 330 pigs yarded at the city corporation yards, being made up of all descriptions, and with porkers in the bulk. Buyers were in fair attendance. The opening of the market was rather dull, and values ruled a little lower than last day, but towards the close of the pork sales bidding became more spirited, and values hardened. Baconers and backfatters were rather dull, and their rates easier.

The following prices were realised:—Best backfatters £4/5/, good £3/10/ to £3/15/, medium £3 to £3/5/, inferior from 52/; best baconers, 56/ to 63/, good 50/ to 55/, medium 45/ to 50/, inferior from 40/; best porkers, 32/ to 38/, odd higher, good 25/ to 32/, medium 21/ to 25/, prime light 28/ to 24/, inferior from 15/.

STATION PRODUCE SALES.

The Sydney Woolselling Brokers' Association, viz., Australian Mortgage, Land, and Finance Co., Ltd.; John Bridge and Co., Ltd.; Dalgety and Co., Ltd.; Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Ltd.; Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Ltd.; Hill, Clark, and Co., Ltd.; New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Co., Ltd.; Pastoral Finance Association, Ltd.; Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Ltd.; Schute, Bell, and Co., Ltd.; and Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., Ltd., report:—

Sheepskins.—Prices ruled firm at last week's rates for all excepting crossbreds, which were at times a little cheaper. Quotations:—Merino, full-woolled /8 to /8½ per lb, three-quarter wools /5¾ to /7½, half-woolled /4 to /5½, quarter-woolled /3 to /4½; pelts, /1½ to /4; crossbred, three-quarter to full wools /4 to /7½, short-woolled /3 to /6; lambs, /4 to /6½.

Hides.—Lights were frequently ½d per lb lower; other weights unchanged. Quotations:—Queensland butchers' hides: Heavyweights (60lb and up) /7½ per lb and up, medium weights (46 to 52 lb), /6½ to /7¼, light weights (33 to 42 lb) /6½ to 7¼, dry hides /4½ to /8½. New South Wales butchers' hides: Extra heavy weights (picked lots) /7½ and up, heavy weights (56lb and up) /6½ to /7½, medium weights (44 to 54 lb) /6½ to /7¼, light weights (32 to 42 lb) /6½ to /6¾, inferior and faulty /4 to /6, dry hides /5½ to /8½, bulls /5¼ to /5¾, calf to 5/11 each, yearlings to /11, horsehides to /12/6.

KAMERUKA CHEDDAR CHEESE was awarded the Grand Prix at the Franco-British Exhibition.—Advt.

P. COHEN and CO., 40 King-st, Grain, Jute, General Produce Brokers, Speciality Wheat. Send samples.—Advt.

J. W. GRAY and CO., 139 Sussex-street, Auctioneers and Produce Salesmen.—Advt.

FOLEY BROS., Ltd., Sussex-street, for Choicest North Coast Factories' Butter, Cheese, and "Crown" Bacon and Hams.—Advt.

MINING.

COPPER RISING. MARKET STEADY

A further advance of 5/ per ton in the price of copper, added to a rise of 12/6 on the previous day, has brought the price of the red metal to the much more satisfactory figure of £60/10/. This is good news for copper producers, for the recovery from £59/2/6, ruling a few weeks ago, means a lot to them. The advance has not had much effect upon the value of shares in rank-and-file copper mines, but, according to the London Stock Exchange quotations, it has strengthened the position of such fashionable stocks as Great Cobar, Limited, and Mount Elliotts.

The absence of any quotation for lead in the cable advices received from London is assumed to mean that the price of the metal stands at £13/5/. The London Stock Exchange quotations on Thursday for Australian silver shares indicated no forward movement in share values.

As before remarked, the further advance in the price of copper did not cause any movement locally in share values, for, although Chillagoe, contributing, hardened 1d, it was the result of a better demand existing for some days past. Budgery eased 1d, and Kangiara Propty., paid, a like amount. Kyloe Copper held firm at 22/9, in anticipation of a dividend being declared, and before noon the announcement was posted that a dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum had been declared on the preference, as well as one of 6d per share on the preference and ordinary scrip. Good offers were made for Mount Elliotts, Great Fitzroys, and Chillagoe, contributing, on the strength of the London Stock Exchange quotations; whilst buyers of Wallaroo and Moonta were unsupplied, though offering an advanced rate. Tolwong Minerals were steadily quoted, but a close market was not made in Mount Morgans.

Though the amount of business recorded in silver scrip was limited in extent, it was on satisfactory lines when compared with the quotations recorded earlier in the week. Broken Hill Souths were especially firm, whilst there were slightly better buyers for Broken Hill Junction Norths and British Broken Hill, with fair offers for Broken Hill Junction, Sulphide Corporation, Zinc Corporation, and Amalgamated Zinc.

Gold shares furnished a larger amount of business than has been the case for some time past. Occidentals (Cobar) were particularly strong, sales being recorded at 17/, a rise of /7½. Inquiries continue to be made for Main Ridge Deep Lead, Tewksbury Amalgamated, and Tewksbury Proprietary. Tin shares were quiet, with a weakening sale in Tongkah Harbour Tin.

The unusual spurt in the morning appears to have exhausted the market, because during the afternoon speculation was very quiet in all sections.

THE SHARE MARKET.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The closing quotations were:—

	Buyers. £ s d	Sellers. £ s d
COPPER.		
Bogan River	0 2 0	—
Budgery Mines	0 2 5	0 2 7
Cambelego, paid	—	0 4 6
Chillagoe, contributing	0 4 0	0 4 1
Cooer Gladstone	0 0 10½	0 1 0
Great Fitzroy	1 3 6	1 4 0
Kangiara Mines	1 5 0	1 7 6
Ditto, contributing	1 1 0	1 4 0
Kangiara Proprietary	0 2 6	0 3 8
Ditto, contributing	—	0 1 0
Kyloe	1 2 8	1 2 9
Ditto, preference	1 4 0	1 4 9
Kootra Mines	0 5 0	0 9 0
Lloyd Copper	0 1 10	0 2 2
Lebb's Hole	0 4 0	—
Ditto, contributing	0 1 6	0 2 0
Mount Elliott	3 18 0	4 0 0
Mount Molloy, pref.	0 2 6	—
Mungana (Chillagoe)	0 2 2	0 2 6
O.K.	0 0 10	0 0 11½
Queen Bee	0 2 7	0 2 8
Tolwong Minerals	0 14 6	0 14 9
Wallaroo and Moonta	2 5 3	—
TIN.		
Gilmore	0 0 6	0 0 8
Vegetable Creek	0 6 6	0 7 3
Ditto, contributing	0 5 0	0 5 4
Vulcan	0 1 10	0 2 3
SILVER.		
New South Wales, etc.		
British Broken Hill	1 5 ..	1 5 10½
Broken Hill Proprietary	2 0 6	2 1 3
Ditto, Block 10	2 18 6	—
B.H. Junction	0 8 2	0 8 3
B.H. Junction North	2 1 6	2 1 6
B.H. North	5 6 0	5 9 0
B.H. South	5 17 6	5 18 6
B.H. South, contributing	5 13 0	5 14 0
B.H. South Blocks	1 10 0	1 10 6
C.S.A. Mines, paid	0 2 0	—
Sulphide Corporation, ord.	1 1 4½	1 1 7½
Sulphide Corporation, pref.	1 10 9	1 12 0
Yerranderie	—	5 15 0
Zinc Corporation, ord.	—	0 13 6
Ditto, pref.	2 8 0	2 9 0
Amalgamated Zinc	1 6 6	—
GOLD.		
New South Wales, etc.		
Baker's Creek	0 0 6	0 0 9
Gold Hill	—	0 3 6
Ditto, contributing	0 2 6	0 2 9
Harden	1 4 0	1 6 0
Harden Central	0 0 6	0 0 7
Harden Extended, contributing	0 0 9	0 2 0
Main Ridge Deep Lead	0 13 0	—
Ditto, contributing	0 12 0	0 14 0
Mount David	0 1 4	0 1 6
Mount Drysdale	0 1 6	—
Occidental	0 16 6	0 17 0
Hawkins' Hill Reward	—	0 5 0
Dredging and Sluicing.		
Araluen Central	0 1 10	0 2 4
Araluen Redbank	0 5 3	—
Cope's Creek	0 2 0	—
Great Britain Sluicing	1 3 0	1 6 0
New Wytie Creek	—	0 1 0
Ovens Valley	—	0 6 6
Stanthorpe	0 5 0	—
Tewksbury Amalgamated	0 10 0	0 12 6
Tewksbury Proprietary	—	0 10 0
Ditto, contributing	0 3 0	—
Tongkah Harbour Tin	1 12 6	1 13 0
Turon River	0 4 0	—
Tasmania.		
Mount Lyell	1 16 9	—
Queensland.		
Charters Towers, etc.		
Bonnie Dundee	—	0 1 8
Brilliant Block	—	0 5 4
Brilliant Central	—	0 2 6
East Mexican, paid	—	0 7 4
Mount Morgan	3 14 6	3 15 6
New Queen Cross Reef	—	0 9 6
Gympie.		
Columbia Extended	—	0 5 0
North Smithfield	—	0 3 6
North Smithfield, No. 1	—	0 8 0
South Glanmire and Monkland	—	0 1 0
South Great Eastern, No. 2	0 2 3	—
South Oriental and Glanmire, No. 1	—	0 0 6
Western Australia.		
Black Range	2 18 6	3 0 0
Black Range West, contributing	—	0 1 2
Great Boulder	1 3 0	1 3 6
Ditto, Main Reef, Perseverance	0 5 8	—
Hainault	—	0 12 3
Kalgurli South	0 14 6	—
Sandstone Development	0 2 8	0 2 9

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

MORNING.

Copper.—Budgery, 2/6; Chillagoe, contg, 4/; Kangiara Proprietary, paid, 2/6; Kyloe Copper, ord, 22/9.

Silver.—Broken Hill Junction, 8/2; Broken Hill South, paid, £5/17/6, £5/18/; Broken Hill Proprietary, 41/; British (old), 25/9.

Gold.—Occidental (Cobar), 17/; New B. Freehold, 30/; Sandstone Development, 2/11, 2/10, 2/9; No. 2 S. G. Eastern, 2/3; Black Range West, contg, 1/.

Tin.—Tongkah Harbour Tin, 32/9.

AFTERNOON.

Copper.—Kangiara Mines, contg, 24/, 23/6; Budgery, 2/6; Chillagoe, contg, 4/1; O.K. Copper, /11; Queen Bee, 2/7; Mount Morgan, 75/; Wallaroo and Moonta, 45/.

Silver.—Zinc Corporation, pref., 49/.

Gold.—Nil.

Tin.—Tongkah Harbour Tin, six weeks, 33/.

LONDON SHARE MARKET.

LONDON, March 4.

Quotations of Australian mining ventures on the London Stock Exchange yesterday were:—B.H. Proprietary, b 39/6, s 40/6; North B.H., b £5/5/, s £5/7/6.

A private cable message states that amongst the shares quoted on the London Stock Exchange on Thursday were the following "middle" prices:—Broken Hills, 40/; Broken Hill Norths, £5/6/3; Broken Hill Block 10, 58/9; Great Fitzroy, 23/9; Briseis, 6/6; Mount Lyells, 36/9; Zinc, ord, 13/; Broken Hill Block 14, pref, 11/3 (?); Mount Elliott, 73/4½; Great Cobar, £6/11/10½; Mount Morgans, 74/4½; Chillagoe, 4/3; L. V. Consols, 20/; Oroya, 15/9; Golden Links, 3/4½; Great Fingall, 14/9.

Other quotations (buyers):—Broken Hill Block 10, 58/9; British (old), 24/; Broken Hills, 39/9; Broken Hill South, paid, £5/17/6; Broken Hill South Blocks, 29/6; Zinc, ord, 13/1½; Sulphides, ord, 21/; Mount Elliott, 78/1½; Mount Morgans, £7/3/9; Mount Lyells, 36/6; Great Fitzroy, 23/9; Amalgamated Zinc, 27/.

Copper was quoted at £60/10/, a rise of 17/6 in two advances.

MINING NOTES.

The half-monthly report of the New Einasleigh Company is as follows:—"Drives 30ft, crosscuts 29ft, winzes 84½ft; ore raised, 1140 tons; ore shipped, 1206 tons of 7½ per cent."

The following dredging returns are reported:—No. 1 Araluen Central, 130 hours, 51oz 6dwt; and Araluen Redbank, 127 hours, 67oz 7dwt.

The concentration mill of the Great Fitzroy mines ran for a few hours daily from February 22 to February 28, and treated 104 tons of silicious ore, assaying 3.63 per cent. copper and 4.49 dwt gold, producing 34.5 tons of concentrates, assaying 8.5 per cent copper and 8.29 dwt gold.

The manager of the Hawkins' Hill Reward Gold Mine Company telegraphed yesterday:—"Struck 8in reef, with pretty dark slate workings, in Robert Emmett crosscut west, showing better dish prospects than in any previous reefs struck in cross course."

The manager of the B.H. Block 10 Company telegraphs:—"Assay value of ore from vein on footwall at the south end of 1615ft level, 26.6oz silver, 26.4 per cent. lead, and 20.7 per cent. zinc. Average width of vein is 2ft. The despatches have amounted to 7032 tons tails, 1482 tons slimes, and 8 tons vanner tailings."

The fortnight's operations of the B.H. Junction North Company are shown in the following official report:—"At No. 11 level the 11/20 winze advanced to 65ft, and 11/17 winze advanced to 20ft. Both winzes are in ore of the usual grade in those sections. At No. 13 level the main west crosscut advanced 30ft, total 144ft. In the main shaft sinking advanced to 4ft below No. 13 plat, or 1378ft deep. The mine ventilation, which was disturbed for several weeks, has now been satisfactorily restored by the erection of an electric fan at No. 8 level. Production from the levels was:—From No. 9 level, 55 tons, average assay 14.8 per cent. lead, 9.7oz silver, and 7.6 per cent. zinc; from the No. 10 level, 600 tons, average assay 15.2 per cent. lead, 10.2oz silver, and 8.7 per cent. zinc; from No. 11 level, 1120 tons, average assay 15.1 per cent. lead, 10.7oz silver, and 10.1 per cent. zinc. All classes of mechanics are scarce, consequently all progress in construction has been very slow. In the mill four of the new revolving screens and the No. 1 jig have been completed. Work towards completion of the seven new sand vanners is going on." Yesterday morning the following telegram was received from the general manager:—"Ventilation good; stopes cooling gradually; production improving daily."

KYLOE COPPER MINE.

JOINS THE DIVIDEND-PAYERS.

The following notice was yesterday posted at the Stock Exchange:—"Kyloe Copper mine: A dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum has been declared on the preference shares, and an interim dividend (first) of 6d per share on preference and ordinary shares, declared payable on April 12. Transfer books close on April 1." This means a distribution of £4000, namely, £2500 to the holders of the 100,000 ordinary shares, and £1500 to the holders of the 20,000 preferential shares. Holders of the latter rank first in any dividend distribution, to the extent of 10 per cent., or 1s per share per year. After that, they will share alike with the holders of the ordinary shares in other dividends that may be declared during the year. Those shareholders in the Kyloe Copper mine, who have supported the stock, despite the many evil reports circulated against the mine, are to be congratulated on their steadfastness. For a long time she was traduced by many mining speculators as a fraud, whilst some critics even went so far as to describe her as a "squib," or an "abandoned mine." Imagining the public has short memories, the same critics now coolly describe her as "a good little mine."

MOUNT MORGAN COMPANY.

DECREASED ORE VALUES.

The total output of the Mount Morgan Gold-mining Company for February shows a considerable falling off as compared with that of the preceding month. A twofold reason accounts for this. In the first place, February was a short month, and in the second the value of the ore treated at the gold reduction works, as well as the copper reduction works, fell off in quality. Hence the official note is not quite correct when it says: "The reduction in the value of the output is due to February being a short month."

In the return to hand it is stated that 88 tons of tailings were treated along with the 11,565 tons of ore operated on at the gold reduction works. In the tabulated statement published below, the 88 tons of tailings are taken to represent the same number of tons of ore. A glance at the averages will show that the gold and copper contents of the ore treated declined slightly.

The position of affairs during the past 12 months will be seen by a glance at the following figures:—

GOLD ORES.

	Tons.	Gold.	Yield.
March	14,255	4,090oz	5.73dwt
April	14,248	2,435oz	3.41dwt
May	16,546	5,849oz	7.06dwt
June	16,627	6,348oz	7.63dwt
July	18,335	5,609oz	6.00dwt
August	16,422	5,470oz	6.66dwt
September	17,111	6,271oz	7.33dwt
October	16,515	6,460oz	7.82dwt
November	13,[illegible]	7,337oz	10.71dwt
December	12,019	5,633oz	9.37dwt
January, 1910	13,271	5,112oz	7.[illegible]dwt
February	11,653	4,458oz	7.65dwt

COPPER-GOLD ORES.

	Ore Tons.	Copper, Refined Tons.	Per cent.	Gold	Per Ton.
March, 1909	18,219	477	2.62	5,061oz.	5.55dwt.
April	18,008	419	2.60	3,807oz.	4.70dwt.
May	20,122	486	2.41	5,892oz.	5.85dwt.
June	19,690	547	2.86	6,626oz.	6.68dwt.
July	29,589	702	2.41	9,217oz.	8.07dwt.
August	20,254	649	2.18	7,214oz.	7.08dwt.
September	18,402	617	2.36	7,787oz.	8.46dwt.
October	18,412	524	2.84	8,555oz.	9.29dwt.
November	13,440	545	2.95	7,585oz.	8.95dwt.
December	13,170	480	3.64	7,988oz.	12.13dwt.
Jan., 1910	16,578	588	3.54	9,848oz.	11.88dwt.
February	15,065	561	3.70	8,979oz.	11.23dwt.

VALUE OF OUTPUT.

March, 1909 (copper at £57 per ton)	65,200
April (copper at £57 per ton)	49,600
May (copper at £60 per ton)	77,100
June (copper at £58 per ton)	85,000
July (copper at £59 per ton)	100,000
Aug. (copper at £59 per ton)	88,300
Sept. (copper at £60 per ton)	90,500
Oct. (copper at £59 per ton)	90,000
Nov. (copper at £59 per ton)	90,500
Dec. (copper at £59 per ton)	81,800
Jan., 1910 (copper at £59 per ton)	92,945
Feb. (copper at £60 per ton)	85,128

MINING IN THE STATE.

MUDGEE, Friday.

Shares in the Traelman Gold-mining Company are being disposed of rapidly, many being held by Sydney speculators. The mine is situated at Eurunderee, five miles from Mudgee. It is on an alluvial lead, worked many years ago, when £7000 worth of gold was taken from it. The continuation of the lead has been proved, hence the formation of the company to work it.

BROKEN HILL MINES.

DEVELOPING THE SOUTHERN EXTENSION.

BROKEN HILL, Friday.

The main shaft of the Silver City Blocks is down 117ft. A crosscut west has been started at 115ft. The object of this is to test the width of the lode formation. Considerable interest is still being shown in developments on the southern end of the field.

THE ZINC CORPORATION.

INCREASED EARNINGS.

EFFECT OF DEAR COAL.

BROKEN HILL, Friday.

The Zinc Corporation for the month of February treated 19,732 tons of tailings, producing 6795 tons of zinc concentrates, assaying 46.3 per cent. zinc, 12.8oz silver, and 5.7 per cent. lead, also 760 tons of leady concentrates, assaying 56.5 per cent. lead, 38.5oz silver, and 16.1 per cent. zinc. The estimated income from all sources for the month, taking spelter at £23 per ton, was £26,191, against £25,944 for January. The total working expenditure was £10,496, equal to 10/3 per ton, as against 10/5 for January.

The increased cost was due to the high price of coal. A total of £1639 was spent on construction. The tonnage treated was greater than for January. Assay values, however, were about the same.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

To-day's sales were:—Zinc Corporation, pref., 49/9; Wallaroo, 45/3; Broken Hill, 41/; Junction Norths, 41/6; Chaffers, 3/1, 3/0½; Waihi, 2/9. Noon: Wallaroo, 45/3; British Blocks (old), 25/9; Junction, 8/3; Junction Norths, 41/9; Great Boulder, 23/9½; Westralia Waihi, 2/8, 2/8½. Noon: Wallaroo, 45/3; British (old), 25/9; Junction, 8/3; Junction Norths, 41/9; Boulder, 23/4½; Waihi, 2/8, 2/8½.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

To-day's sales were:—

Silver.—Amalgamated Zinc (fully paid), 27/9, 27/6; Zinc Corporation, pref, 49/7½; British Broken Hill (old), 25/9; North Broken Hill, £5/7/.

Copper.—Central Balfour, 10/; Mount Jasper, £5/2/6; Mount Lyell, 37/, 37/3; Chillagoe, 4/2; ditto, paid, 4/11, 5/1½; Great Fitzroy, 23/6, 24/; Hampden, 15/; Mount Elliott, 78/, 79/.

Tin.—Briseis, 6/10; Y Water, 11/6, 12/.

Gold.—Cathcart, 11/9, 11/3, 12/; ditto, paid, 10/, 9/6; Cathcart, Central, 2/7, 2/8; Cathcart North, 2/1, 1/7; Frenchman's Reef, 2/1, 2/; New Langi Logan, 1/8, 1/7, 1/8; Nuggety Ajax, 31/, 30/6; Ballarat Proprietary, 2/10; Duke and Main Leads, 31/, 30/, 30/1½; Pyrenees Proprietary, 5/; Collmann and Tachbi, 12/10½; Mackay's, 1/; Russell's Reef, 1/3; Crest Boulder, 23 6; Havilah, 2/; Tindals, 25/.

BRISBANE, Friday.

Sales:—No. 2 South Great Eastern, 2/2; Brilliant Deeps, contg., 3/; Chillagoe, contg., 4/0½.

LAUNCESTON, Friday.

Quotations:—Tasmania, b 3/10; North Farrell, b 1/1, s 1/6; Arba, b 8/4, s 8/6; Tasmanian Copper, b 5/9, s 5/10; Mt. Bischoff, £28/5/, s £28/7/6; Pioneer, b 23/; Mutual Hill, s 1/; Magnet, s 15/6.

CHARTERS TOWERS, Friday.

Sales:—Blutcher's, 1/6; B. Block, paid, 5/3; Day Dawn, /8; Kulamadau, 2/5; New B. Freehold, 29/6; South Queen, /3½.

BENDIGO, Friday.

Sales: Bird's Reef, 1/0½; Cathcart Central, 2/7½; Confidence Extended, 2/3; New Moon, 22/9; Suffolk United, 5/1; United Ulster, 3/5.

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PROPERTY MARKET.

Business was of moderate dimensions, the turnover not being as large as a month or so ago. Suburban land came in for most attention, whilst city property occupied a good deal of intending purchasers' attention. Weekend and seaside property was not so buoyant.

Messrs. Hardie and Gorman have sold by public auction and private treaty during the week the following properties:—Camperdown (in conjunction with Warren A. Paine), block of land, Pyrmont Bridge-road and Booth-street, with residence, Midanga, £3550. Coogee, residence and grounds, Smithfield Grange, with frontages to Brook and Bream streets, £2810. North Sydney, Saturday afternoon and privately since, in conjunction with Thomson Bros., allotments of the Bay-road subdivision of Berry's Estate, £2029. Waverley, 3 cottages, Ewell-street, £1100. Darlinghurst (in conjunction with Slade and Brown), 2 houses and cottage, West-street, £1680. City, block, Jones-street, £650. Concord (in conjunction with F. W. Parsons), block, £250. Alexandria, allotment, Buckland-street, £3.

Richardson and Wrench, Ltd., report having sold by auction and private contract during the week the following properties:—28 allotments first subdivision, Terry's Eastwood House Estate, Eastwood, at 23/ to 18/ per foot (£2967); block, Avoca-street, Randwick, £440; small dwelling, Cleveland-street, city, in conjunction with Mitchell and Cranston, £350; equity of redemption in two cottages, Ashley-street, Chatswood (in conjunction with Marshall and Dempster), £230; allotment, Egmerton House, subdivision, Marrickville, £78; block, Queen-street, Coogee, £55; small allotment, Scott-street, Five Dock, £30; allotment, Jeffrey's Estate (4th subdivision), Fernhill, £65; small allotment, Elphin Estate, Rookwood, £10.

Messrs. Arthur Rickard and Co., Ltd., report having sold by private treaty during the past week the following:—Lot 14, Clinton Heights Estate, Manly, £6/10/ per foot, £290; lots 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, section 2, St. Mervyns Estate, Cronulla, at 19/ per foot, £250; lots A, B, and C, William-street subdivision, Granville, 20/ per foot, £156; lots 41 of section 5, 60 of sec. 6, and 40 of sec. 7, of the Greenacre Park Estate, Bankstown, £176; lot 18 at 12/ per ft, and lots 19 and 20 at 13/ per ft, Heart of Belmore Estate, Belmore, £25; lots 3 and 5, Allen-street subdivision, Canterbury, at 15/ per ft., £67/10/; lot 12, Warringah Estate, Pittwater-road, Curl Curl, Manly, 25/ per ft, £63/10/; lot 1 of sec. 3, of the Bankstown Farmlets Estate, Bankstown (7-acre block), £63; lots 259 and 261, Claremont Estate, Enfield, £72; lot 34, Glenbrook Heights, Glenbrook, £31; lot 21 of section 4, Narrabeen Heights Estate, Narrabeen, £7/12/.

Mr. Ernest C. V. Broughton reports having sold the following:—Gore Hill, lot ..., section 8, Gore Hill Estate, £41; Canterbury, lots 24 and 36, section 10, £50; Hurstville, lot 41, section 2, Bellevue Estate, £22, and weatherboard cottage on land 50 x 145, Chiswick street, £240; Belmore, lot 6, section 9, Belmore Township Estate, £72; Freshwater, Queenscliff Heights Estate, 25ft to Crown-road by 200ft deep, £80 cash; Campsie, lot 54, sub. 3, Milnora Estate, £10; and by order of the bank, various blocks, comprising portion of the Springfield Estate, in area about 28 acres, £268.

Messrs. Henry F. Halloran and Co. report the following sales:—Two Farm Blocks, Warriewood Estate, Narrabeen, £210; four hill sites, Warriewood Estate, Narrabeen, £100; one town block, Warriewood Estate, Narrabeen, £41; four lots, Junction Estate, Maroubra, £161; three lots, Seaforth Estate, Middle Harbour, £160; three lots, Summer Mount Estate, Wentworth Falls, £25; one lot, Rockdale Estate, Narrabeen, £35; one lot, Unwin's Hill Estate, Tempe, £50; one lot, Clyde Township Estate, Clyde, £28; one camping lot, Woronora River, £25; three camping lots, Yow Yow Estate, Woy Woy, £45; two camping lots, Hawkesbury River, £35; two lots, Cronulla, Highlands Estate, Cronulla, £75; two lots, Stanwell Park Estate, Stanwell Park, £105; one lot, Belmore, Hilltops Estate, Belmore, £15.

Mr. A. J. Barnes reports having sold the following property by private contract during the week:—Centennial Park land (Government subdivision), lot 12, of section 5, having a frontage of 33ft 8in to Park-road, price £750.

J. B. Coyle and Co., of city, Paddington, and Mosman, report having sold during the last fortnight the undermentioned properties:—Terrace of cottages at Waverley, £2050; terrace of cottages at Mosman, £2100; six cottages at Double Bay, £2850; cottage and land at Ashfield, £550; total, £7550.

Mr. George A. Gibb reports sales:—Cottage, Kensington, £300; 2 houses, 57-9 Woolcott-street, Darlinghurst, £2000; weatherboard cottage, Chapel-street, Marrickville, £335; cottage, Rozelle, Wardell-road, Dulwich Hill, £550.

FORTHCOMING SALES.

Manly.—Messrs. Stanton and Son will sell the whole of North Steyne Estate this afternoon, at 3.30. The property comprises some splendid allotments facing the ocean beach.

Darling Point.—Messrs. Raine and Horne are selling, on the ground, at 3 o'clock this afternoon, the Mona Extension Estate, Darling Point, being subdivided into allotments fronting New Beach-road and Loftus-street.

Bydalmore.—Grand View Estate, at Dundas railway station, will be sold at auction to-day by Richardson and Wrench, Ltd. A large selection of blocks will be offered.

Mosman.—At 3 to-day Richardson and Wrench, Ltd., will sell the Camelot Estate, on the Spit-road, Mosman. Six large blocks, in a good locality, will be submitted.

Coogee.—Some good street frontages are included in the allotments comprising the Dudley Heights Estate, which is being sold at auction to-day by Messrs. Hardie and Gorman, at 3 o'clock.

CAMP SCHOOL.

The second session of the rural camp school arrived in Nowra on Wednesday, 140 boys and 12 masters comprise the session. The following schools are represented:—Mosman, Woollahra, Marrickville West, Warrawee, Forest Lodge, Bondi, Greenwich, North Annandale, Paddington, Erskineville, West Leichhardt, Cook's Hill. The Cook's Hill boys came from Newcastle by boat on Tuesday night. The camp is located in the recreation ground at Nowra, close to the river Shoalhaven. The lads will go out among the various farms, dairies, and butter factories for observation works. The camp is under the direction of Mr. W. Roberts, B.A., organising officer.

RIFLE SHOOTING.

CUTLER IN FORM.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Friday.

The Dominion rifle meeting will start to-day at Trentham. There will be nearly 600 competitors. Practising at Trentham, Cutler, of Bathurst, put up a probable Australasian record—101 out of 105 at 800, 900, and 1000 yards—a possible at 800yds, and 33 each at the other ranges.

TRAMWAY v POST AND TELEGRAPH.

The above clubs met in a match on Wednesday, 1st inst., which resulted in a win for Tramway by 23 points. Conditions: Seven men a side, 10 shots at 200yds. Scores as follow:—

Tramway.—W. Gribble 49, W. Southwell 43, J. Steele 47, A. Wolkenhar 46, V. Taylor 44, G. Browne 43, V. Blattman 38; total, 315.

Post and Telegraph.—W. Brady 47, J. M'Garry 46, A. Daniel 44, A. Hortin 44, A. J. Paine 43, A. Dillon 43, W. Turner 25; total, 292.

PARKES, Friday.

The pit at the local rifle butts has been enlarged, and new targets are being prepared. Shooting at the 500yds range on Wednesday, G. Ritchie put up six consecutive bull's-eyes, his seventh shot being an inner.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

HOUSES AND LAND.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH.—On the Ground, Camelot, Spit-road, Mosman, at 3, House and Land; on the Ground, Dundas Railway Station, Grand View Estate.

RAINE and HORNE.—On the Ground, Darling Point, at 3, Mona Extension Estate.

HARDIE and GORMAN.—On the Ground, Coogee, at 3, Dudley Heights Estate.

MORRS and CO.—On the Ground, Campbell street and Western-road, Parramatta, at 3.30, Land.

STANTON and SON.—On the Ground, Manly, at 3.30, North Steyne Estate.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

H. COHEN, SON, and CORK.—At 34 George-street West, at 2.30, Furniture, etc.

H. V. NORTON.—At Camerra, Grantham-street, North Sydney, at 2.30, Furniture, etc.

A. G. JENKINS.—At the Rooms, at 10, Furniture, Glassware, Cutlery, Gun, etc.; at 11, Furniture, etc.; at 12.30, Pianos.

H. WOOLF.—At 265 Pitt-street, at 11 and 2.30, Unredeemed Pledges, etc.

N. RUMPSEN.—At 16 Oxford-square, at 2.30, Clothing, Furniture, etc.

EVANS and CO.—At 150 Enmore-road, Enmore, at 3, Furniture, etc.

MIDDLETON and CO.—At 170 George-street West, at 2.30, Furniture, etc.

MITCHELL and CRANSTON.—At Wendover, Clanwilliam-street, Willoughby, at 3, Furniture, etc.

FARM AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

DENT and PERRY.—At Redfern Station, at 9.15, Hay, Straw, Chaff, etc.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DENT and PERRY.—At Newtown, at 7, Wood, etc.; at Darling Harbour, at 8, Wood, etc.

J. COWAN.—At the Railway Workshops, Rookwood, at 3, Surplus Materials, Counters, etc.

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SPORTING.

THE TURF.

Metropolitan racegoers this afternoon have the choice of horseracing at Rosehill and pony and galloway racing at Rosebery. The autumn reunion of the Victoria Racing Club will be brought to a close at Flemington, the Sandgate Jockey Club provides an outing for Brisbane sporting folk, and the Boulder (W.A.) Racing Club's summer meeting will be concluded.

The programme for the autumn meeting of the A.J.C. demands the attention of owners and trainers of racehorses on Monday next, when up to 4 p.m. the general entry will be received by the secretary, Mr. T. S. Clibborn. The 19 events for which entries are invited carry a total of 9600 sovs., of which 4000 sovs. is devoted to the encouragement of w.f.a. horses, the Autumn Stakes, All-aged Stakes, Cumberland Stakes, and A.J.C. Plate being each endowed with 1000 sovs. Besides the classic events, for which entries have already been received, the sum of 1100 sovs has been provided for the two-year-old racing, 1300 sovs for races over obstacles, and the balance (3200 sovs) for handicaps on the flat over distances from six furlongs to a mile and five furlongs, the added money ranging from 300 to 500 sovs. Such an attractive bill of fare can hardly fail to bring about a bumper entry.

The scratchings recorded at the A.J.C office yesterday in connection with the autumn reunion were Legation, Odis, Wead, and Blue Point out of the Sires' Produce Stakes; Legation, Odis, Wead, Ban Ceonitha filly, Green Flag, and Blue Point out of the Champagne Stakes; and Muskbrook out of the St. Leger Stakes.

Pony and galloway racing, under the control of the associated clubs will be the attraction at Rosebery this afternoon, and the programme foreshadows interesting sport. The track is good going, and the transit arrangements include a special service of trams to the racecourse gates, while the ordinary traffic to Botany will also be available. The first race is timed to start at 2.15 p.m.

A liberal programme has been issued by the Hawkesbury Race Club for its autumn reunion on the 19th., and for the five events comprised therein, the secretary, Mr. C. S. Guest, Richmond, will receive entries up to 4 p.m. on Monday next, while up to the same hour nominations can be lodged at the office of the Rosehill Racing Club. The prize money aggregates £600, of which £200 endows the Hawkesbury Autumn Handicap, while each of the other events carries £75.

The weights for the A.J.C. Doncaster Handicap and Sydney Cup should see the light on Monday forenoon.

Equirra, Marvel Queen, and Argofern, out of the Trial Stakes; New Portland, Storey, out of the Camellia Stakes; Dick Richards, Blue Point, and Lady Gunyah out of the Juvenile Stakes; Newport and Gaby out of the Club Handicap; Sucre out of the Railway Stakes; Ribstone Pippin, Nereus, and Schooner out of the Parramatta Mile; and Blue Point out of the Nursery Handicap, were the scratchings recorded yesterday for the Rosehill Autumn Meeting.

Intending purchasers of thoroughbred horses will have ample opportunity at the annual sale arranged by Messrs. Wm. Inglis and Son., to be held at Payten's Newmarket stables on Monday, April 4, when a number of high-class sires and stud matrons, racehorses in training, and untried stock will be brought under the hammer. The lots already catalogued include the mares and stallions of the Wilton Park Stud, which has contributed so many great performers to the turf, and mares from different owners. The stallions Hoeznun (imp.), Swordfish II., King Rufus, (imp.), Maranui, Calaverite, Amati, and Amberite are also listed, as well as the racing and stud horses, the property of Mr. James Brennan.

The imported horse Hermes, who has been enjoying a month's holiday in a paddock at Windsor, resumes work on Monday under the supervision of J. C. Finn at Randwick.

The sum of £350 prize-money has been provided by the Newcastle Jockey Club for its March meeting on the 16th inst., of which £160 goes to the March Handicap. Nominations must be in the hands of the secretary, Mr. J. Grisdale on Monday next.

The hurdleracer Heathen, by Saraceu from The Witch, arrived yesterday by the steamer Maheno from New Zealand.

VICTORIAN SPORTING NOTES.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The V.R.C. stewards to-day concluded the inquiry into the riding of Medaglia in the River Handicap at Flemington on Thursday. The owner, who was in Adelaide, had backed the mare for a fair stake. The trainer, whose son was the rider, was told that the jockey would have to ride with much more vigour, or he would probably find himself in trouble.

Iolaire, who did good service in the livery of Mr. K. S. Macleod, has been sold privately at a satisfactory figure to Mr. Charles Knorpp, of the Mossdale Stud, Corowa, and the son of Grafton will in due course go to the stud.

The Woodlands Stud realised a total of 3673½gns.

CASINO RACING INSTITUTIONS.

CASINO JOCKEY CLUB.

CASINO, Friday.

The annual meeting of the members of the Casino Jockey Club was held to-day, and in the absence of the president (Mr. J. B. M'Dougall) Mr. W. C. Barnes presided. The transactions for the year show a profit of £120 12s. The two race meetings held during the year were both successful financially. The race meeting held in conjunction with the Richmond River Turf Club, for the benefit of the Casino Hospital, resulted in a profit of £35. Mr. William Wallace was elected president; Messrs. J. B. M'Dougall and W. C. Barnes, vice-presidents; treasurer, Mr. A. W. Rea (re-elected); secretary, Mr. W. H. Carmont; committee (elected), Messrs. T. Caddell, W. Wallace, G. M'Carney, E. Andrews, L. O. Paulsen, W. G. Barnes, M. Marroney, A. W. Rea, J. B. M'Dougall, H. C. Page, W. G. Simpson, J. M'Carthy, T. Alcock, J. T. Sexton, C. H. Greenstreet. The committee decided to raise the salary of the secretary to £50.

RICHMOND RIVER TURF CLUB.

The annual meeting of the members of the Richmond River Turf Club was also held, the president (Mr. W. C. Barnes) in the chair. The report shows the members' list to be falling off, as compared with that of the previous year. Two race meetings were held during the year, and each returned a profit to the club. The new training track was completed. The year's receipts total £972 2s, and the expenditure £907 4s, showing a profit of over £67. The report also states that matters were not progressing in connection with the formation of the racing association in the northern rivers district as quickly as could be wished, but no lack of enthusiasm was displayed by the local clubs, the delegates attending three meetings held at Casino. Delegates from the various racing associations meet in Sydney on Easter Monday for the purpose of adopting a set of rules. For the Produce Stakes four sires have been nominated for next year, and 15 foals described for the Sires' Produce Stakes of this year. The committee elected comprise:—Messrs. W. C. Barnes (Dyraaba), H. S. Barnes (Dyraaba), G. C. Edwards (Rosebery), W. A. Parker (Casino), W. J. Hogg (Casino), E. M. Geikie (Casino), W. G. Simpson (Casino), J. B. M'Dougall (Casino), Major Fanning (Casino), and J. J. Ralston (Sandilands). Mr. W. C. Barnes was re-elected president; Mr. J. C. Edwards was re-elected vice-president. The committee decided to raise the secretary's salary to £52 per year, and to hold a race meeting in June.

ROSEHILL RACING CLUB.

AUTUMN MEETING.

FIRST DAY.

The autumn reunion of the Rosehill Racing Club opens this afternoon on the popular sporting rendezvous by the Parramatta River, and a pleasant outing, combined with interesting racing, seems assured, for the management has made ample provision for the convenience and comfort of a large gathering, while the track is first-class going. The transit arrangements by rail include a special service from the Central Railway Station, trains starting at 11.45 a.m. (horse and attendants), 12.12 (mixed), 12.48 (first), 12.52 (mixed), 12.56 (second), 1.0, 1.5, 1.13, and 1.43 p.m. (mixed). The 12.12, 12.52, 1.18, and 1.43 p.m. trains stop en route at Strathfield to pick up passengers. The results of the V.R.C. races will be posted in the paddock during the afternoon.

The sport commences with the Trial Stakes, in which the chances of Miss Bobbin, Eris, Miss Corelli, and Laval seem the best, and the places may be filled by Eris, Laval, and Miss Bobbin. War Star, Maesmore, Achillean, and Conductor read as well as anything in the Camellia Stakes, and the numbers may go up for Conductor, War Star, and Maesmore. An interesting battle is promised for the Juvenile Stakes among Blackpool, Kummulla, Energetic, and Lady Frisco, while Kummulla, Blackpool, and Lady Frisco may divide the honours. The Club Handicap should bring about a good contest, in which prominent parts should be played by Proportion, Dalrymple, Jinnee, Wee Laddie, and Black Range, and the judge may declare for Dalrymple, Proportion, and Jinnee. Beau Vive, Porch, Duke of Clarence, and Quentin should run well in the Railway Stakes, and Beau Vive, Porch, and Quentin may pass the post in that order. The Parramatta Mile brings the sport to a close, and at the weights Safrano, Achillean, Ore Pan, and Boro should have the settlement among them, while Safrano, Ore Pan, and Boro may fill the situations. The programme is subjoined:—

Trial Stakes (special weights), 6f.—Eris, 8st 5lb; Miss Bobbin, 8st 5lb; Jagmar, 8st; Briar Bank, 7st 12lb; Sayden, 7st 10lb; Levas, 7st 7lb; Charmeuse, 7st 7lb; La Pistol, 7st 7lb; Little Lill, 7st 7lb; Miss Corelli, 7st 7lb; Cayenne, 6st 9lb.

Camellia Stakes, 1m.—Brilliant Boy, 9st 5lb; Metograph, 9st 5lb; War Star, 8st 12lb; Lord Beauchamp, 8st 8lb; Maesmore, 8st 6lb; Britain, 8st 4lb; Achillean, 8st; War Bee, 7st 12lb; Nadir, 7st 10lb; Apple Pie, 7st 10lb; Conductor, 7st 10lb; San Pedro, 7st; Moon Moth, 7st; Tullycan, 7st; Vauntie, 6st 7lb.

Juvenile Stakes, 5f.—Sylvander, 8st 5lb; Blackpool, 8st 4lb; Kummulla, 7st 4lb; Energetic, 7st 4lb; Lady Frisco, 7st 4lb; Greenbank, 7st 4lb; Malthusian, 7st 4lb; br c, by True Blue, 7st 3lb; Blue Band, 7st 3lb; Peso, 7st; Parolet, 7st; Nimela, 7st; Molly Mars, 6st 10lb; Benalla, 6st 10lb; Battery, 6st 10lb; Moorilla, 6st 7lb.

Club Handicap, 1¼m.—Barallan, 9st 10lb; Proportion, 8st 6lb; Dalrymple, 8st; Didus, 7st 12lb; Erin, 7st 7lb; Footpad, 7st 7lb; Wee Laddie, 7st 5lb; Jinnee, 7st 7lb; Conductor, 7st 4lb; Narrabeen, 6st 11lb; Pinnus, 6st 7lb; Miralbis, 6st 7lb; Black Range, 6st 7lb; Outbreak, 6st 7lb.

Railway Stakes, 7f.—Irishman, 9st 12lb; Boredine, 9st; Bold Heart of Erin, 8st 6lb; Noble Lad, 8st 12lb; War Star, 8st 12lb; Beau Vive, 8st 6lb; Porch, 8st 4lb; Didus, 8st 4lb; Duke of Clarence, 8st; Quentin, 7st 10lb; Vermilles, 7st 5lb; San Pedro, 7st; Moon Moth, 7st; Primrose League, 7st; Chlorite, 6st 7lb; Vauntie, 6st 7lb; Bridesmaid, 6st 7lb.

Parramatta Mile.—Hoax, 10st 12lb; Proportion, 10st; Chimade, 9st 7lb; Erin, 8st 12lb; Achillean, 8st 12lb; Safrano, 8st 12lb; Ore Pan, 8st 9lb; Boro, 8st 4lb; Diabolo, 8st 4lb; Sir Simpleton, 8st 2lb; Chevron, 8st; Lin, 8st; Metal King, 7st 12lb; Zenda, 7st 7lb; La Pistol, 7st 7lb; Semele, 7st 7lb; Well Done, 7st 7lb.

VICTORIA RACING CLUB.

AUTUMN MEETING.

FOURTH DAY.

The autumn meeting of the Victoria Racing Club will be brought to a conclusion at Flemington this afternoon, when a continuance of the high-class sport that has characterised the preceding days may be anticipated. Racing commences at 1 p.m. with the Elms Handicap, and will be followed by the Select Stakes at 1.40, the Place Handicap at 2.45, the Autumn Steeplechase at 3.30, the Champion Stakes at 4.15, and the Farewell Handicap at 5 p.m.

The Elms Handicap wears an open appearance, but Mala, Kuringai, Captain White, and Lautoka should have most to say in the settlement of the question, and Kuringai or Lautoka may be escorted home by Mala and Captain White.

Tanami, Danaus, Golden Point, and Sacre should run well in the Select Stakes, and the situations may be occupied by Tanami, Golden Point, and Danaus.

An interesting battle is promised for the Place Handicap among Ungarie, Dhobi, Congo d'Ealire, and Moruga, and, if in the humour to race, Ungarie may win from Moruga and Dhobi.

Ripon, Boisdale, Squirm, and Saverne read the best of the candidates for the Autumn Steeplechase, and Ripon, Boisdale, and Saverne may pass the post in that order.

The battle for the Champion Stakes should be fought out between Prince Foote, Pendil, and Diabolo who may finish as named.

A large field may be expected for the Farewell Handicap, and the race seems very open, but Flavinius, Dhobi, Pretty Peg, and Carl Dour seem to have fair prospects, and the numbers may be hoisted for Flavinius, Pretty Peg, and Carl Dour.

Appended is the programme:—

ELMS HANDICAP.—7f.

	st	lb		st	lb
*Malt King	9	12	Danaus	6	12
Mala	9	5	Simmerette	6	11
Kuringai	8	8	Eyeglass	6	11
Captain White	8	5	Kanbrook	6	9
Burston	7	13	Prizefighter	6	9
Lautoka	7	10	Imprint	6	7
Sentronus	7	8	Salvator Rosa	6	7
Spryfoot	7	8	Miss Gwen	6	7
Bedloe	7	4	England	6	7
Balgowan	7	2	[illegible]	6	7
*Flavian	7	2	Strathbarton	6	7
Mutilator	7	0	St. Bob	6	7
Lord Derby	7	0	Pendulous	6	7
Bobadea	7	0	Dhimed	6	7
Ambrosia	6	12	Glenspean	6	7
Bolan	6	12	Vigilante	6	7

SELECT STAKES.—7f.

	st	lb		st	lb
Tanami	9	0	St. Tano	7	5
Bobadea	8	12	Rhelaus	7	5
Blairgour	8	10	King Foot	7	2
Danaus	8	10	Strathbarton	7	2
*Gladswood	8	8	Isothermal	7	2
Martyre	8	8	Rolling Stone	7	2
Langtoun	7	11	Cupdial	7	1
Kilsadoon	7	11	St. Bob	7	1
Duke Foot	7	9	Ceria	6	11
Golden Point	7	9	Albury	6	11
*Nigeria	7	7	Vigilante	6	9
Brae Scot	7	7	Glenspean	6	9
Kingling	7	7	Little Slam	6	7
The Earl	7	7	Hallastor	6	7
Sacre	7	7	Similarity	6	7
Pendulous	7	7	Orsa		
Clanran	7	5			

PLACE HANDICAP.—1¼m.

	st	lb		st	lb
Orline	9	4	Moruga	7	11
Kerlie	8	9	Glue	7	1
Ungarie	8	6	Matouree	6	13
Lord Nolan	8	4	Medaglia	6	11
Dhobi	8	4	Blind Harry	6	9
Ollyester	8	2	Eighteen Carat	6	9
Nushka	8	1	Marled	6	9
Congo d'Ealire	7	13	Delaware	6	7

AUTUMN STEEPLECHASE.—About 3m.

	st	lb		st	lb
Ripon	12	8	Wolseley	10	4
The Sun	12	3	Stately	10	2
Boisdale	11	13	Saverne	9	10
Kaitere	11	11	Stariel	9	0
Earl of Castles	11	4	Hideyoshi	9	0
Boomerang	11	2	F.M.G.	9	0
Squirm	10	12			

CHAMPION STAKES.—3m.

	st	lb		st	lb
Mindful	9	2	Flavinius	9	0
Nightlight	9	2	Ungarie	8	11
Pendil	9	0	Moruga	7	12
Aberdeen	9	0	Diabolo	7	12
Kerlie	9	0	Flavian	7	12
Matouree	9	0	Prince Foote	7	12
Lord Nolan	9	0			

FAREWELL HANDICAP.—1m.

	st	lb		st	lb
Pink Un	9	7	Call Boy	7	6
*Malt King	9	7	Gelignite	7	6
Corroboree	9	5	Mindful	7	6
Orline	9	5	Lautoka	7	6
Mala	9	1	Mother Goose	7	4
True Scot	9	0	Francis	7	4
Flavinius	9	0	Jolly Sate	7	1
Snea	8	12	Cypercrop	7	1
Ferila	8	10	Sagittarius	7	1
Dhobi	8	7	Medaglia	6	13
Congo d'Ealire	8	7	Duncily	6	13
*Celerity	8	7	Diplomatist	6	13
Kuringai	8	3	Hird	6	13
Malmsey	8	3	Histori	6	12
Pretty Peg	8	1	Treio Vouni	6	9
Mary	7	13	Catagowan	6	9
Flavinia	7	13	Wintringa	6	9
Captain White	7	11	Sunnerad	6	7
Carl Dour	7	11	Eyeglass	6	7
Veronice	7	10	Aurarius	6	7
Ngaruthoe	7	10	Perilous	6	7
Edenholme	7	10	Tantalla	6	7
Glue	7	8	Sunbage	6	7
Miss Bobby	7	8	Imprint	6	7
Queen o' Scots	7	8	Bomb	6	7
Burston	7	8	Lady Kelvin	6	7
Salvia	7	5	Boyong	6	7
Seaton Dale	7	6			

* Scratched.

LATEST SCRATCHINGS.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The following scratchings were recorded today in connection with the V.R.C. Autumn Meeting:—

Elms Handicap: Malt King and Flavian.
Select Stakes: Nigeria and Gladswood.
Farewell Handicap: Malt King and Celerity.

CASTLEREAGH AMATEUR CLUB.

CASTLEREAGH CUP WON BY RISK.

COONABARABRAN, Friday.

The annual races of the Castlereagh Amateur Turf Club were held on Wednesday and Thursday, with the following results:—

First Day.

Nandi Stakes, w.f.a.—Parley, 1; Flame, 2; Rappell, 3.

Trial Stakes.—Inconstant, 1; Haut Dear, 2; Exchange, 3.

Coonabarabran Stakes.—Parley, 11st 11lb, 1; Napier, 11st 4lb, 2; Haut Dear, 11st 4lb, 3.

Castlereagh Cup.—Risk, 11st 5lb, 1; Chiefswood, 11st 5lb, 2; Piambra, 11st 5lb, 3.

Weetalabah Handicap.—Flame, 11st 4lb, 1; Love's Rule, 9st 7lb, 2; Change, 9st 10lb, 3.

Castlereagh Handicap.—Moonaree, 10st 10lb, 1; Rappell, 11st, 2; Diligence, 9st 7lb, 3.

Second Day.

Ulinda Handicap.—Parley, 12st, 1; Flame, 11st 7lb, 2; Haut Dear, 10st 5lb, 3.

Bracelet.—Napier, 11st, 1; Chiefswood, 11st 12lb, 2; Risk, 12st, 3.

Timor Handicap.—Rappell, 10st 10lb, 1; Inconstant, 10st 5lb, 2.

Gowan Handicap.—Flame, 11st 8lb, 1; Haut Dear, 10st 4lb, 2; Love's Rule, 9st 12lb, 3.

Welter Handicap.—Chiefswood, 1; Inconstant, 2.

Farewell Handicap.—Napier, 11st 10lb, 1; Rappell, 11st 2lb, 2; Piambra, 10st 10lb, 3.

NEW ZEALAND RACING.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Friday.

At the Wanganui races on Thursday the principal events resulted:—

Wanganui Cup of 675 sovs, 1¼m.—Mr. Preston's Milan, 7st 10lb, 1; Mr. M'Grath's Ostris, 7st 11b, 2; Mr. Monk's Diabolo, 8st 6lb, 3. Won by three lengths. Time, 3m 1 4-5s.

Flying Handicap of 275 sovs.—Mr. M'Manaway's North-East, 8st 10lb, 1; Mr. M'Grath's Tumut, 9st 2lb, 2; Boomerang, 7st 11lb, 3. Won by half a length. Time, 1m 14 4-5s.

SALE OF THOROUGHBRED STOCK.

DISPERSAL OF THE WOODLANDS STUD.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Messrs. W. C. Yuille and Co., in conjunction with Messrs. Campbell and Sons, this afternoon, held an auction sale of blood stock from the Woodlands stud, at their Newmarket yards. There was a good attendance of buyers, and competition was brisk. The following lots were disposed of:—

Mrs. Peggotty (imp.), by Pride—Pegaway, with colt, by Xeny, and mated with Caiman (imp.)—Mr. E. E. D. Clarke, 230gns.

Queen of the Vale (imp.), by Raeburn—Queen of the Isles, with foal by Caiman, and mated with him again—Mr. W. H. Dean (N.S.W.), 280gns.

Myrrydd (imp.), by Wolf's Crag—Taketa, with colt by Caiman, and mated with him again—Mr. I. Earnshaw, 280gns.

Hellas (imp.), by Amphion—Blavatski, with filly by Xeny, and mated with Caiman—Mr. A. T. Creswick, 250gns.

Kenning (imp.), by Kendal—Peace, with foal by Caiman, and mated with him again—Mr. B. Allen, 210gns.

Burberry (imp.), by Mackintosh—Kenning, Mr. E. B. Bell, 55gns.

Lioness (imp.), by St. Serf—Leonie, Mr. A. T. Creswick, 180gns.

Reminder, by First King—Chloe, mated with Caiman—Mr. M. Ellis, 70gns.

Thebes, by Robinson Crusoe—Hatasu, mated with Caiman—Mr. H. A. Currie, 85gns.

Peeress, by Pilgrim's Progress—Precedence, with filly by Xeny, and mated with Caiman—Mr. E. Trenchard, 100 gns.

Heather Bell, by Pilgrim's Progress—Lady Bell, with colt by Xeny, and mated with Caiman—Mr. J. Samuels, 160gns.

Curfew Bell, by Pilgrim's Rest—Lady Bell (imp.), with colt by Xeny, and mated with Caiman—Mr. H. P. M'Lachlan, 100gns.

Caiman, ch h, bred in America, by Locohatchee—Happy Day—Mr. B. Allen, 600gns.

Bay colt, by Caiman—Reminder—Mr. B. Allen, 170gns.

Ch f, by Caiman—Hellas—Mr. B. Allen, 60gns.

B c, by Caiman—Kenning (imp.)—Mr. B. Allen, 200gns.

B f, by Caiman—Lioness—Mr. A. Creswick, 60gns.

On account of Mr. Frank Austin.

Our Queen, by Wallace—Yardley, with filly by Bobadil, and mated with him again—Mr. Sol. Green, 700gns.

On account of Mr. J. V. Smith.

Design, by Wallace—Strange Device, mated with Challenger (imp.)—Mr. W. Pulteney (N.S.W.), 100gns.

On account of Mr. W. Murray.

Boorzn, by Grafton (imp.)—Melema—Mr. George Bennett (Burnie, Tasmania), 80gns.

On account of Mr. J. V. Smith.

Finsen, [illegible] (1901), ch m, by Wallace—Flash, mated with Challenger (imp.)—Mr. G. Bennett (Burnie, Tas.), 130gns.

Hague (1905), by Wallace—Katoocha, mated with Challenger (imp.)—Mr. W. Pulteney (N.S.W.), 130 gns.

Songstress (1906), by Enfilade—Melodise, with brown colt by Challenger (imp.), and mated with him again—Mr. T. Uphill (Pranjip Park), 180 gns.

Bl m (1904), by Carbinier—Melodise—Mr. W. Pulteney (N.S.W.), 160 gns.

On account of Mr. E. Wren.

Avondale, b (1898), by Bobadil—Caroline—Mr. I. Earnshaw (N.S.W.), 110 gns.

On account Mr. E. E. D. Clark.

Curtain Lecture (imp.), 1902, by Ugly—Lecture—Mr. S. Miller, 105 gns.

On account of Mr. E. Kelly.

Inquisitive (1897), b m, by The Inquisitor—Maluma, with foal by Pistol (Mr. W. Pulteney (Mein, Moulamein, N.S.W.), 55 gns.

On account of Messrs. Wilson Bros., Erildoune.

Lady Gardenia (1898), b m, by Trenton—Gardenia, with chestnut colt by Plumpicker (imp.), and mated with him again—Mr. T. Uphill, 140 gns.

Bobeli, br c, by Bobadil—Lippen, 4yrs—Mr. Blakney (N.S.W.), 50 gns.

On account of owner.

Tsarina (1897), b m, by Autonomy—Lady Edda, with filly foal by Pistol (imp.), and mated with him again—Mr. B. Chaffey (Casterton), 120 gns.

GOLF.

To-day's engagements are:—

Dobroyde G. C., stroke competition.
Concord G. C., Roxburgh trophy competition; annual meeting in evening.
Parramatta G. C., bogey competition.
Killara G. C., teams' match.
Bonnie Doon G. C., bogey match.
Drummoyne G. C. v Bonnie Doon, at Drummoyne.

STATE PLAYERS GRADED.

The committee appointed by the New South Wales Golf Council to establish an official handicap for the State:—Messrs. E. M. Stephen (R.S.G.C.), O. H. O'Brien (A.G.C.), W. A. Windeyer (N.S.W. Golf Council), and C. A. Sinclair (Suburban and Country Golf Association)—have decided to adopt the system of handicapping from par. For the present the committee has decided not to fix handicaps beyond 18 (stroke play). Below is a list of such handicaps, which includes players of all the principal clubs of the State. Further lists, or alterations made since November last, should be sent in at once to the secretary of the council (Mr. W. A. Windeyer). The pars for the various courses are provisionally fixed as shown below, and club committees should handicap exclusively against such pars, allowing bogey handicaps at three-quarters of the handicaps now published, and fixing the handicaps of the other members of their clubs relatively to those included in the official handicap list. The committee invite suggestions as to any alterations in the handicaps of pars:—

PARS OF COURSES.

The pars of courses are:—Australian G.C., 71; Royal Sydney G.C., 71; Concord G.C., 72; Manly G.C., 76; Killara G.C., 70; Bonnie Doon G.C., 79; Dobroyde G.C., 74; Bombala G.C., 35; Newcastle G.C., 34; Wallsend G.C., 34; Albury G.C., 35; Moss Vale G.C., 76; Corowa G.C., 35; Armidale G.C., 68; Tamworth G.C., 36; Ballina G.C., 36; Orange G.C., 68; Cootamundra G.C., 36; Dubbo G.C., 36; Kiama G.C., 34; Lismore G.C., 36; Casino G.C., 34.

THE HANDICAPS.

The handicaps allotted are:—

Handicap, 5.—O. H. O'Brien.

6.—E. P. Simpson.

7.—T. Smith, N. F. Christoe, T. S. Cheadle, F. J. Blaxland, E. Springthorpe, J. Legh, L. R. Oswald Sealy, J. S. Marks, G. H. Reading, G. L. Mackenzie.

8.—P. S. Jones, K. Harrison, H. M. Stephen, C. A. White, W. S. Laidley.

9.—Lord Dudley, E. J. B. Macarthur, G. T. Balcombe, H. MacNeil, Gordon Craig, A. E. D'Arcy, H. N. Giblin, A. W. Padfield, H. W. M'Leiland, H. E. Britton, A. M. Stephen, F. R. Oliver.

10.—C. T. Metcalfe, S. G. Clift, A. O. Gillies, G. W. Haldship, H. Terry, J. E. Stokes, S. J. Hobson, H. F. Keat, R. P. Goodbolt, J. H. Bettington, F. W. Pope, R. Colquhoun, J. R. Hooper, C. Shepherd, C. W. Rundle, H. R. Crossman.

11.—W. P. Martin, R. W. Martin, K. L. Newman, N. V. Pockley, R. J. Pope, M. F. Hanney, W. A. Windeyer, A. Wilson, C. A. Sinclair, J. S. Adams, Alex. Orr, F. D. Layton, A. W. Campbell, W. P. Macintosh, A. A. Bert, H. Lowcock, C. Suttor, T. Simpson, — Braithwaite, R. Gore, R. Rankin, N. G. Pilcher, Forbes Mackay.

12.—W. G. Dixon, H. M. Cockshott, W. S. Cook, N. V. Curtin, C. R. M'Phillamy, Geo. Rutherford, R. R. Bailey, W. G. Blaxland, J. Cowie, N. F. Pelelow, F. M'Donald, R. C. Forbes, V. D. Inglis.

13.—W. S. Hinder, H. F. Reading, E. G. James, E. S. Cape, W. Murray, R. Aitken, C. M. Garrard, J. Kell, A. Milk, J. Rowley, P. R. Russell, E. J. Loran, H. R. Lysaght, A. Tassell, S. Rennie, E. S. Scarvell, R. Why, D. C. M'Kellar, W. B. Fairfax, J. O. Harris, James Chirnside, L. W. Broughton, H. Payten, R. J. A. Roberts, M. B. Halligan, N. J. Holmes, G. B. Lee, B. J. Lawrence, H. J. Merewether, F. A. Moule, F. [illegible] A. Russell, R. A. Warden, J. W. Allen, J. M. Arnott, L. Dobbin, P. Thompson, E. R. Graham, W. A. Freeman, H. W. Fairfax, T. Tombleson, J. Kidd, W. A. Martin, G. B. Sowerby, G. H. Newman.

14.—H. Y. Braddon, R. H. L. Innes, G. R. Thomas, W. E. Bain, D. S. Edwards, A. L. Mullens, C. W. Schrader, S. Cotton, L. Keep, C. Hope, C. A. Fraser, E. S. Littlejohn, N. C. Lockhart, H. D. Pope, C. E. Graham, W. T. MacPherson, O. H. Scott, D. M. Soane, W. S. Brown, J. W. Greaves, J. Burke, J. Paton, F. L. Merewether, H. H. Wisdom, P. F. S. Spence, F. O. Crossman, W. F. Stephenson.

15.—M. G. Anderson, O. L. M'Coy, A. J. M'Lachlan, J. B. Milne, L. Owen, A. L. Potter, E. R. Fraser, T. W. Garrett, S. L. Laidley, H. R. Lysaght, E. T. Thring, H. Warren, P. G. White, A. H. Nott, L. E. Rankin, W. C. Wilkinson, A. Bullmore, G. T. Coldwell, H. Clarke, R. H. Cumming, A. E. Evans, J. Garland, G. M. Innes, A. G. Wrathe, S. Smith, H. D. Fitzgerald, R. C. Lethbridge, C. H. Pearson, H. L. Rankin, W. V. Brown, A. E. Mills, J. S. Perry, A. R. J. Wait, F. G. Blaxland, F. Amphlett, W. Andrew, W. Powrie, H. H. Copeland, W. T. Edwards, M. H. Lowe, L. J. Birrelsman, R. Bowman, H. M. Hamilton, J. G. Scullar, G. S. Freeman, F. H. Blaxland, C. B. Minnett.

16.—J. S. Allen, J. O. Anderson, H. Marks, G. S. Burscott, W. Tilley, W. E. V. Read, F. H. Andrews, H. Chisholm, D. Donald, A. H. Garraway, H. S. Holt, H. H. M. Merewether, W. Metcalfe, W. K. S. M'Kenzie, C. F. Chapman, L. W. Moore, F. J. Biddulph, A. Core, F. P. Ford, R. W. M'Kellar, P. Cureton, E. Duret, A. V. Hilliard, J. S. Meiklejohn, R. S. M'Cloy, J. K. Tonks, A. R. Other, G. Gillespie, G. P. Heney, R. Bird, J. A. Thompson, A. R. Minter, P. W. Johnson, F. C. Boys, P. J. Jones, F. L. D. M'Rae, A. F. Rose, W. J. Morry, S. R. Beatty, M. Tilbury, W. C. Penfold, J. Colley, R. Craig, L. S. Osborne, W. C. Mayor.

17.—F. C. Adams, P. Allan, F. J. Bethune, J. O. Fairfax, R. T. Hilder, M. A. Black, W. H. German, R. B. Platt Hepworth, R. Little, A. Welsh, W. Rowan, J. Flynn, L. A. B. Stuart, H. C. Foxell, A. M. Gabriel, A. F. Jacob, J. Wilson, H. Wolstenholme, E. R. Magnus, W. A. M'Donald.

18.—G. Bell, L. G. Cohen, A. A. Rankin, G. H. Rankin, F. J. Smith, E. P. Walker, A. J. Warry, Taylor Young, J. C. M'Keown, C. W. Prott, Joseph Wilson, H. T. Whitty, J. Stephen, W. H. Strong, A. Wilshire, A. J. Telfer, H. Hoddart, G. W. Oakes, R. Binxland, G. W. Ord, H. L. Lovegrove, C. B. Blackburn, F. J. Ewens, T. Finlay, T. S. Kirkland, F. Hill, A. A. Palmer, W. J. Quodling, H. G. Hyde, L. Upward.

CRICKET.

GRADE COMPETITION.

A round of matches under N.S.W.C.A. will conclude to-day. The first grade fixtures stand as follows:—

Glebe, 201, v Middle Harbour, seven for 91.
Petersham, 228, v University, three for 53.
Gordon, 185, v Balmain, seven for 92.
Redfern, 341, v Sydney, two for 46.
Paddington, 67, v Waverley, three for 179.
Central Cumberland, 253, v North Sydney, two for 90.

The engagements are.—

FIRST GRADE.

University v Petersham, at Sydney Cricket Ground No. 1. Umpires, Messrs. Nicholls and French.

Waverley v Paddington, at Waverley. Umpires, Messrs. Lucas and Berry.

Sydney v Redfern, at Redfern. Umpires, Messrs. Bruton and Wallace.

North Sydney v Central Cumberland, at Parramatta. Umpires, Messrs. Barber and Thornthwaite.

Middle Harbour v Glebe, at Wentworth Park. Umpires, Messrs. Curran and Conwell.

Balmain v Gordon, at Birchgrove Oval. Umpires, Messrs. Collins and Raffey.

Burwood a bye.

SECOND GRADE.

Gordon v Balmain, at Sydney Cricket Ground No. 2.
University v Leichhardt, at University.
Burwood v Sydney, at Burwood.
North Sydney v Mosman, at North Sydney.
Middle Harbour v Petersham, at Manly.
Glebe v Newtown, at Erskineville.
Randwick v Waverley, at Randwick.
Redfern v Central Cumberland, at Alexandria.
Paddington a bye.

THIRD GRADE.

University v Sydney, at Rushcutter Bay.
Middle Harbour v Paddington, at Hampden Oval.
Gordon v Waverley, at Coatswood.
North Sydney v Petersham, at Petersham.
Randwick v Leichhardt, at Leichhardt.
Newtown v Central Cumberland, at Domain No. 1.
Redfern v Mosman, at Mosman.
Burwood a bye.

INTERSTATE INSURANCE MATCH.

The names of players leaving by the steamer Bombala for Melbourne to play in the third interstate insurance match between the fire, marine, and accident offices of New South Wales and Victoria, are:—E. W. Alpin (New Zealand, T. B. Anderson (Royal), C. R. Barry (London and Lancashire), G. R. Detsman (United), C. A. Glassop (New Zealand), B. Grant (Australian Mutual), F. E. Humphries (Law, Union, and Rock), V. Johnson (London and Lancashire), E. M. Johnson (Australian Alliance), G. Lowe (Australian Alliance), H. S. Lloyd (Alliance), L. Sampson (Royal). The match takes place on the 8th, 9th, and 10th inst., on the Albert Ground, Melbourne, and the players leave on the return trip on Saturday, 12th inst. Both the former matches, 1908 at Melbourne, and 1909 at Sydney, have been won by the Victorian offices.

RAILWAYS MATCH.

The officers of the administrative branches of the Victorian railways and of the New South Wales railways and tramways will contest their third annual cricket match at the Sydney Cricket Ground on 16th and 17th inst. Each State has won a game, and keen interest is being evidenced in the services as to the result of the next meeting. The competition for places in the team is strong, seeing that there are many first-grade players in the New South Wales Railway and Tramway Departments. The home side will be chosen next week. The Victorians will arrive on Sunday, 13th inst, and will spend a week in Sydney, where many outings have been arranged for them.

ATHLETICS.

N.S.W.A.A.A.

A 100yds open handicap for members of the N.S.W. A.A.A. will be held at the Australian Bicycle Club's night carnival on Monday, 21st inst, and a 1000yds open handicap, has been fixed for the second night of the same club's carnival on the following Friday. Entries for both events will close on Wednesday next.

On Wednesday, 23rd inst, a One-mile Open Handicap will be decided at the Sydney Bicycle Club's night carnival. Entries close at the Sports Club on Saturday, 12th inst.

SOUTH SYDNEY HARRIERS.

The following handicaps have been declared for the above club's 100yds Open Handicap, to be decided at the combined night carnival at the Sydney Sports Ground, on Wednesday night next, at 7.45:—J. Birch, F. E. Beaver, 1yd; W. G. Maitland, J. M. Campbell, 1½yd; A. O. Harvey, 2½yd; W. J. Stewart, G. P. Parke, 3½yds; W. Gibson, L. L. Squires, 4yds; A. W. Blake, 5yds; A. G. Knight, 5yds; J. Cantello, 5½yds; D. F. Burrell, A. E. Camps, J. Dunleavy, R. G. Leggo, R. V. Fell, W. S. Carter, W. H. Thomas, O. Plunkett, G. M. Gardner, T. Gamble, S. Sparks, J. Goggins, G. Macdonald, J. J. Gunning, W. Butler, B. Coggins, 6yds; J. Spies (Rozelle), C. R. Anderson, H. Sullivan, E. M. Le Clere, H. Alderson, A. Holland, W. E. Jones, J. M. Tully, W. R. Browne, H. Driscoll, J. R. Smith, G. Howell, 6½yds; A. H. Crawford, F. J. Mutton, A. J. McGarry, G. T. Ferguson, O. C. Smith, 7yds; A. L. Harwood, G. H. Matthews, A. C. Winter, 7½yds; J. Spies (South Sydney), F. J. Murn, O. R. Scollen, H. A. Weller, 8yds; N. L. M'Kinnon, H. O. Prince, 8½yds. (Handicaps made from E. O'Farrell, scratch.)

The following are the handicaps for the 440yds for members of the S.S.H.:—L. L. Squires, 12yds; F. E. Beaver, 13yds; G. P. Parke, 17yds; T. J. Wood, A. Johnson, A. G. Knight, 18yds; F. S. Martin, W. Butler, J. McElwenney, 22yds; J. M. Tully, 26yds; F. Humphreys, H. O. Prince, 28yds; W. S. Carter, C. Whyte, 30yds; C. T. Ferguson, 38yds; O. C. Smith, 40yds.

BOTANY HARRIERS.

The following are the handicaps for the 100 yards race, open to members of the A.A.A. at the Botany Harriers' sports at Sir Joseph Banks' grounds to-day:—First heat: J. L. Birch, 1yd; A. O. Harvey, 2½yds; G. P. Parke, 3½yds; L. L. Squires, 4yds; A. G. Knight, 5yds. Second heat: A. W. Blake, 5yds; J. Cantello, J. G. Sloman, 5½yds; A. Peaty, T. Gamble, 6yds. Third heat: R. J. O'Donell, A. S. Hale, A. E. Camps, D. J. Gillespie, D. Burrell, 6yds. Fourth heat: J. H. Booth, 6yds; J. M. Tully, A. Holland, M. Ellery, W. Curtain, 6½yds. Fifth heat: C. L. Sleehy, J. R. Smith, 6½yds; F. J. Dutton, 7yds; J. Spies, 8yds. Sixth heat: F. J. Murn, H. A. Weller, 8yds; H. O. Prince, N. L. McKinnon, 8½yds.

KOORAWATHA SPORTS.

The following handicaps have been declared for the Sheffield Handicap, 130yds, on the 8th inst:—F. M. Cassin 5yds; A. Phillips, 6½yds; D. Ryan, 7yds; C. B. Faulkner, J. Summer, U. R. D. Poplin, 7½yds; J. J. Spearing, 8yds; G. Freeman, T. C. Bowering, C. F. Maltens, 8½yds; R. Rigney, 9yds; W. J. McIllhatton, 9½yds; W. H. Eager, E. W. Coffey, 10yds; G. Percival, 10½yds; H. Summer, A. J. Speering, J. L. Evans, 11yds; J. Crowe, L. Waldron, 11½yds; C. Niels, T. Crowe, O. J. McKinnon, 12yds; A. Cusack, 12½yds; A. R. Taylor, 13yds.

BOWLS.

PENNANT AND B CHAMPIONSHIPS.

FINAL SECTIONAL ROUND.

To-day the final round of sectional play in the pennant and B competitions will take place. The sectional play would have finished a week ago but for a postponed round in January due to wet weather. It is that round that will be played this afternoon. However, it cannot alter the positions, and the four clubs that will come into the semi-final and final rounds of the pennant will be City, Waverley, Petersham, and Ashfield. The winner of the pennant flag ought to be known by the 19th instant. The draw for to-day is as follows:—

PENNANT CHAMPIONSHIP.

Section A.

Chatswood v Warringah, at Chatswood.
Victoria Park v Kuring-gai, at Victoria Park.

Section B.

Petersham v Marrickville, at Petersham.
Parramatta v Hunter's Hill, at Parramatta.

Section C.

St. George v Ashfield, at Rockdale.
Burwood v Mosman, at Burwood.

Section D.

Randwick v North Sydney, at Randwick.
Strathfield v Balmain, at Strathfield.
Manly v Waverley, at Manly.

B CHAMPIONSHIP.

Section A.

Parramatta v Victoria Park, at Parramatta.
Hunter's Hill v Burwood, at Hunter's Hill.

Section B.

Waverley (1) v St. George, at Waverley.
Ashfield v Chatswood (1), at Ashfield.
North Sydney (1) v Manly, at North Sydney.

Section C.

City v Balmain, at Cook Park.
Marrickville (1) v Warringah, at Marrickville.

Section D.

Chatswood (2) v Marrickville (2), at Chatswood.
Petersham (2) v North Sydney (2), at Petersham.
Mosman (2) v Waverley (2), at Mosman.

NORTH SYDNEY BEAT WAVERLEY.

Played at Waverley on Thursday night, and won by North Sydney by 9 points.

	N.S.		W.
W. E. Davies, Halsted, Garland, Wisehart	29	..	11
Packer, Graham, Jessop, Fullwod	—	..	[illegible]
Winter, Bradley, Higgins, Lawrie	15	..	—
Baines, Paterson, Jacobs, Irwin	—	..	25
Hyndes, Bochanan, W. Newton, C. A. Walker	19	..	—
	—	..	14
Clubb, Parsons, Barkell, Hope			
Brayne, Redmond, Stanway, Skinner	14	..	—
Jones, Mullaney, Deane, Evans	—	..	18
Totals	77	..	68

LAWN TENNIS.

SYDNEY CLUB'S CAPTAINCY TOURNAMENT.

M. H. Marsh and A. Campbell have played off the final round of the above, Marsh winning—6-1, 4-6, 10-8, 6-3.

The challenge round between Marsh and G. W. Wright, the holder, will take place this afternoon.

CYCLING AND MOTORING.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

The cycling fixtures for to-day are:—

Annandale Club.—Run to Rose Bay.
Australian Club.—Open run.
Western Suburbs Club.—Run to Yarra Bay.
Mosman Club.—Open run.
Ashfield Club.—Five miles' road race.
Willoughby Club.—Open run.
Burwood Club.—Five miles road race, Bankstown course.
Eastern Suburbs Club.—Relay road race, married v single members.
Peerless Club.—Open run.
B. and B. Club.—Run to Liverpool.
Dulwich Hill Club.—Open run.
Granville Club.—Open run.
Newtown Club.—Runs to Sans Souci.
Parramatta Club.—Run to Ryde.
Auburn Club.—Open run.
Homebush Club.—Impromptu run.
Merrylands Club.—Run to Fairfield.
Glebe Monarch Club.—Ten miles road race, Homebush course.

VICTA B.C.

Entries close on Wednesday next for the above club's five miles' road race, set down for decision on Saturday next. The race is to be run over the Bunnerong course.

REDFERN-SOUTH SYDNEY COMBINED CARNIVAL.

The undermentioned are the handicaps for the two Cyclists' Union races, to be held at the Sports Ground on Wednesday evening next. The first heat of the half-mile event will be started at 8 p.m. The carnival is the combined cycling and athletic night, organised by the Redfern Bicycle Club and the South Sydney Harriers:—Half-mile: C. M. Cutcliffe, E. W. Schneider, scr.; O. Clafton, A. E. Stewart, 15yds; D. Kirk, E. Priestly, S. H. R. Goodhew, 20yds; A. G. Weston, 25yds; H. H. Watson, G. Salch, H. H. Vickery, 30yds; A. S. Taylor, F. E. Finlay, W. H. Cook, 35yds; S. Edworthy, E. A. M'Gregor, 40yds; S. G. Wilson, C. Dredge, G. Martindale, C. J. Cutcliffe, W. Starrat, 45yds; C. Payne, W. T. Bates, 50yds; H. E. Lofts, P. E. Brown, L. A. Walcot, C. Penrose, A. R. Bates, 55yds; D. R. Poole, A. Beck, H. P. Owers, J. Davine, H. J. Taylor, H. C. Bate, W. T. Hamilton, H. Keedle, G. W. Childs, L. Miller, H. C. Willmore, E. Meller, L. C. Clark, J. E. Melles, F. L. Post, 60yds; W. Midgley, E. H. Potter, F. Sinclair, A. W. Watkins, S. Holloway, J. Moody, R. W. Emslie, A. E. McCarthy, F. J. Maler, 65yds; K. J. Willis, A. G. Jackson, R. McMullen, R. R. Crome, F. Willmore, P. G. Boyce, J. Shattel, R. Conway, 70yds; O. Walker, W. H. Holker (Q.), C. C. Hooper, C. Daley, 75yds; L. Hammond, W. Seymour, L. Smith, L. Crawley, J. Wiggins, W. Hill, W. Presborn, S. Burtinshaw, 80yds; T. L. Adams, R. Rincks, W. O. Atterton, O. S. Owens, W. C. Asplet, W. Stapleton, C. S. Jenkins, 85yds; L. Hardie, W. Barry, W. Schofield, T. A. Akhurst, F. G. King, C. T. Mortimer, C. Colligan 90yds; F. Boothman, M. Perkins, F. Eling, 95yds; J. D. Purkiss, G. H. Lee, C. H. Styles, 100yds; E. Beach, 105yds; T. W. Wilson, 110yds; W. R. Ferguson, 120yds; C. Sandell, H. Gordon, 125yds.

ROWING.

ST. IGNATIUS REGATTA.

St. Ignatius College Rowing Club regatta will be held this afternoon on Lane Cove River. Special steamers are advertised to leave Point Macquarie jetties, and will land visitors on Riverview Wharf. During the past few days Sydney and Balmain senior eights have been strengthened by the inclusion of oarsmen who have been chosen to represent this State in the forthcoming eight-oared championship in Tasmania. For all open events the course will be a measured mile, starting from near Gale-street wharf and finishing at the college wharf. The regatta has been held annually since 1883, and the club is the most prosperous financially of all the associated clubs. Riverview Cup, for senior eights, is the only gold challenge cup in connection with rowing.

SCULLING CHAMPIONSHIP.

Articles for the Barry-Arnst race were signed by Barry during the last week in January, and forwarded to New Zealand, with a long letter from Guy Nickalls explaining how matters were viewed by himself and Barry's supporters. The date fixed for the proposed race is Thursday, August 18, and the hour of starting, at 4 p.m. One provision in the articles is that the competitors must come to the post "reasonably trained." The rule about starting has been altered, and merely states that the start is to be by mutual consent. Mr. Nickalls, in his letter, states that any conditions which do not meet with the approval of Arnst will be further considered if he will make his views known. Barry gave up his employment at the end of January, so as to devote the whole of his time to training, and it is proposed to give him six weeks on the Zambesi course. All matters of detail and the appointment of officials will be discussed as soon as Arnst arrives at Government House, Livingstone. The appeal for funds to assist Barry has met with success, and it is expected the amount required will be raised.

NORTHERN RIVERS OARSMEN.

Another attempt will be made to form a Northern Rivers Rowing Association. The matter will be taken up by W. Stevenson, captain of the Grafton Rowing Club. The question has been reopened by reason of the offer of Mr. A. E. Nash, chairman of the N.S.W. Rowing Association, to give a challenge shield for pair-oar racing among the clubs of the Northern Rivers. The chief reason why the rowers on the rivers do not come into the amateur ranks is because they insist on the right to cycle, run, etc., for cash prizes.

SAILING.

ROYAL SYDNEY YACHT SQUADRON.

LADIES' RACE.

The last races of the season under the Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron's burgee will be sailed this afternoon. Two events are down for decision, one a yacht race to be steered by ladies, the other is open to tuck or coachhouse boats. The entries in the yacht race are:—White Wings, scr; Petrel, 5m; Yeulba and Magic, 8m; Scotia and Nanoya, 7m; Fairlie, 10m; Athene, 12m. Only a short course is to be sailed, starting from the club-house, then round the Fatson's Bay Pile Light, Shark Island, and finish off club-house. The entries in the tuck or coachhouse boats are:—Mia, Wylo, and Olive, scr; Mimosa, Lina, Salome, 1m; Adelphi, 8m; Gilleena, 6m; Doreen, 11m; Margarite, 12m; Tartan, 12m. The course is the same as the yachts, with an additional turn round the P. and O. buoy. The club steamer will leave the squadron jetty at 2 p.m.

CULWULLA II.

Mr. W. M. Marks's six-metre yacht Culwulla II. left for Melbourne yesterday by the Bombala. She is in charge of Mr. C. Rasmussen.

SYDNEY CLUB.

This afternoon's "best and best" open boat race is an 18-footers' handicap under the flag of the Sydney Club. The entries, etc, are:—Australian (Chris Webb), scr work, scr lead; Eileen (W. Holmes), 2m, 1½m; Nimrod (C. Hayes), Arthur (J. Smith), Vision (W. J. Duncan), Donnelly (G. Holmes), and Livonia (J. T. Robinson), 2½m, 1½m; Lilian (C. Degan), 3m, 2½m; Crescent (W. Dunn), 3½m, 3¼m; Sunny South (D. B. Lloyd), 4½m, 4½m; Scot (P. Cowie), 4½m, 3½m; Advance (H. E. Thompson), 6½m, 4m; Famous (J. M'Ginnis), Mona (R. Robinson), and Zena (J. H. Firth), 6¼m, 4½m; Sonia (A. Speer), and Ben-my-Chree (E. Brown), 8m, 8m. The usual lightship course will be sailed for prizes of £8, £5, £3, and £2.

The club steamer Kulgoa is advertised to follow the race.

PORT JACKSON SKIFF CLUB.

The last of three races for the P.J.S.C. skiff championship is set down for this afternoon. The scores at present are:—Truant, 4½ points; Spindrift, 4; Dearing, 3; Osiris, 2; Marcia, 1; Isadore, ½. The placed boats take 4, 2, 1, and ½ points respectively. The entries are:—Planet (H. Price), Hubbard (W. Sharman), Greta (J. Patterson), Fern (A. Hunt), Native (A. Andsley), Stella (P. Mills), Minoru (R. Beashell), Essie (L. O'Toole), Osiris (T. Prout), Ibex (A. Dickson), Truant (C. Fisher), Isadore (R. Prest), Dearing (H. Rodrick), Marcia (J. Moppett), Spindrift (T. M. Banks), Meta (D. Drake).

STATE SKIFF CHAMPIONSHIP.

At a meeting of representatives of the Port Jackson Skiff Club, Middle Harbour Club, and St. George Club on Wednesday evening it was decided to hold the race for the skiff's championship of the State on Easter Saturday over the Sydney Club's course, and under the P.J.S. Club's rules. The officials appointed are:—Starter, Mr. G. S. Cronin; judge, Mr. R. C. Oatley; timekeeper, Mr. U. W. Ware; umpire, Mr. P. K. Roberts. The prizes were fixed at £6, £3, £2, and £1, and it was decided that entries should close on 15th instant. Chris Webb will sail Cornstalk, C. Dunn Nereid, W. Dunn Ibis, J. Smith Kullalla, W. Reed Planet, and W. Duncan Minoru; so that the best of the open boat skippers will be engaged.

BALMAIN DINGY CLUB.

The Balmain Dingy Club will be to the fore this afternoon with a 10ft handicap, in which the dingies will be piloted by "novice" skippers. The handicaps are:—Waratah (J. Doran), scr; Myra (W. Drysdale), ½m; N.S.W. (J. Knox), Planet (G. Fitzpatrick), 1m; Jessie (A. West), 3m; Australia (W. Barnes), Britannia (R. Woodward), 4m; Tam o' Shanter (L. Bamford), Estelle (F. Johnson), 5m.

NORTH SYDNEY DINGY CLUB.

The 6-footers will be catered for by the North Sydney Dingy Club this afternoon. The entries, etc., are:—Queenie (F. Drysdale), scr; Waratah (R. Collins), ½m; Emily (J. Leigh), 5½m; Crescent (H. Collins), 6m; Ena (W. Blue), 6m; Our Own (H. Brown), 6½m; Violet (A. Rickwood), 6½m; Thelma (T. Burnett), 7½m; Federal (C. Webb), 15m.

CULWULLA III.

Culwulla II. is reported as passing Cape Schanck at noon yesterday.

THE SAYONARA CUP.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The yacht Culwulla III., challenger for the Sayonara Cup, passed Cape Schanck at noon to-day, and asked to be reported "all well." The Culwulla III., after a pleasant voyage from Hobart, entered Port Phillip heads at 4.40 p.m., and is expected to arrive at her moorings off Williamstown during the night.

SWIMMING.

MOSMAN CLUB.

The above club will decide two races at the Spit baths to-day, 200yds championship of the club, and 150 yds handicap. Starts will be declared at the post. The following have entered for the championship: A. D. Hill (present holder), G. Snell, H. Cook, L. Greene, and C. Pennefather.

FORT-STREET SCHOOL CARNIVAL.

The above carnival will be held this afternoon at the Municipal Baths, Domain. An elaborate programme, including the 100yds championship of the school, 440yds and 110yds interclub handicaps and high diving, has been prepared.

BILLIARDS.

GLEBE WORKINGMEN'S INSTITUTE.

At the Glebe Workingmen's Institute on Wednesday evening young Percy Beddoe played an exhibition game with Mr. E. J. Boyle, for the benefit of members. There was a very big attendance. Beddoe conceded 150 start, and won by 18. He did not play up to his form, but was consistent, his best effort being 53, as against a 41 by Mr. Boyle. After the game the players and officials of the institute were entertained in the local Town Hall by the Mayor of the Glebe (Mr. Stanley Cole), and a good evening was spent. Another match will be played on Thursday evening next, on a new standard table by Heiron and Smith.

BOXING.

MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP.

EDWARD WILLIAMS v ARTHUR CRIPPS.

Next Wednesday evening Edward Williams, the Victorian champion, and Arthur Cripps, the local holder of the title, will meet at the Stadium. Both the contestants are well-known to sporting folk generally, and a fast and exciting contest should result. The men have both agreed to forfeit a substantial sum if the middleweight limit of 11st 4lb is exceeded.

MEEGHAN AND CULLEN MATCHED.

Hughie Meeghan, the lightweight champion, whose decisive victory over Arthur Douglas impressed the spectators so much, has been matched to fight Dick Cullen at the Stadium on April 6, two weeks after his meeting with Johnny Summers. An American visitor, well versed in boxing matters, who witnessed the Meeghan-Douglas contest, expressed the opinion that Meeghan would have no trouble in holding his own in the States, and named a number of prominent American lightweight boxers whom he considered "easy" for the local lad.

PROFESSIONAL TOURNAMENT.

INVOLVING FEATHERWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP.

The Stadium management have decided to hold an invitation professional tournament at the Stadium during Easter week. The prize-money will total £150, £70 pounds of which will go to the winner, and £40 to the runner-up in the competition. Eight contestants will be selected from the following 14 names:—Dealer Wells, P. La Breeze, P. Keller, Sailor Duffy, A. Dunn, Frank O'Grady, Harry Raff, Frank Fitzjohn, Ted Green, Billy Elliott, Larry Gaffney, C. Cooper, Tommy Handley, and Ned Murphy.

BRYANT v HIGGINS.

SUMMERS AND THORNE MATCHED.

Bob Bryant, who is so well known as the sparring partner of Jack Johnson and Johnny Summers, has been matched to fight Mark Higgins, of Victoria, on March 30. It is some time since Bryant made his appearance in a ring, but as he has been associated with Johnny Summers lately as sparring partner, he is already in good condition.

Johnny Summers has also been matched with Frank Thorne. The contest will be decided at the Stadium on April 13. This contest will, in all probability be Summers' last appearance in the ring in Australia.

ALTERATIONS AT THE STADIUM.

The extensive alterations and improvements to the Stadium, which Mr. M'Intosh put in hand on his return from England, are now nearing completion. A staff of carpenters are busily engaged replacing the original seating accommodation with something of a much more substantial and comfortable nature, in addition to which the ticket boxes and entrances have been greatly improved. Country visitors to the Burns-Lang contest at Easter time will notice a very great difference in the general appearance of the Stadium, compared to what it was 18 months ago. The change has been so gradual that it has hardly been noticed by the regular frequenters.

BURNS AND LANG TRAINING.

Both Tommy Burns and Bill Lang have settled down to the really serious part of the training for their contest at the Stadium on Easter Monday, and already show signs of the work they have undergone. Those who have seen Burns sparring at the barracks are of the opinion that he will enter the ring on this occasion better than ever previously in Australia, and he certainly takes the eye better than at the same period of his training for his famous contest with Jack Johnson.

Lang also is putting in excellent work, a fact that was evidenced at the Stadium "theatrical afternoon" last Monday, when he put up a fast and interesting four-round bout with Costello. As an incentive to a good preparation, if such were needed, Lang has in view a visit to America shortly, where a victory over the ex-champion would add considerably to his drawing power.

SUMMERS AND DOUGLAS.

DRAWN FIGHT.

Johnny Summers, of England, and Arthur Douglas, of South Africa, met at the Stadium, Rushcutter Bay. After 20 vigorous rounds, replete with incidents and exciting moments, the referee, Mr. "Snowy" Baker, gave his decision that the contest was a draw. A certain section of the audience disagreed with the verdict, which, however, was an admirable one.

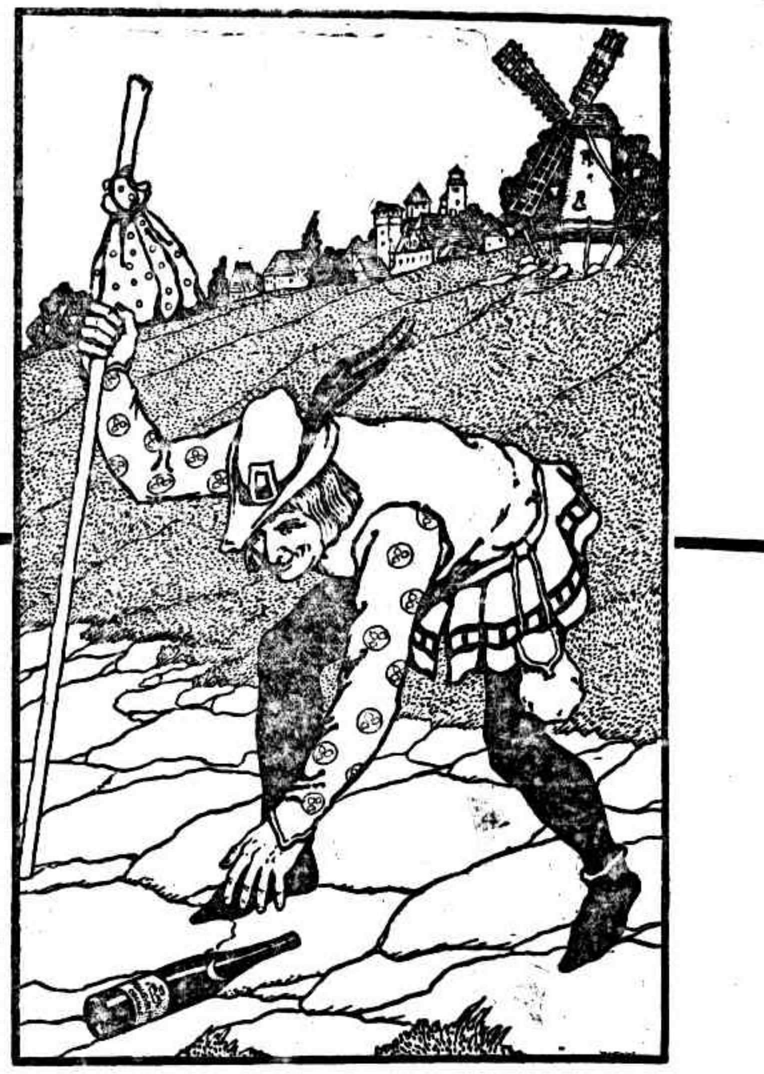
In point of height and weight there was very little difference between the combatants. Douglas, however, had a decided advantage in reach. Douglas forced the pace from the start, and for the first eight rounds had matters all his own way. He used his left hand more frequently and to much better advantage than in any of his previous contests, while his right hand was, as usual, busy all the time. Summers relied mostly on a straight left lead, but appeared to hang fire. Perhaps the fact that the canvas covering of the ring, which was wet, prevented his being so fast on his feet as in his contest with Unholz. At any rate, both lads at different periods during the contest appeared to experience some difficulty in retaining their foothold, despite the liberal use of resin.

Summers commenced to make a better showing in the ninth and tenth rounds, but so far, Douglas had a pronounced lead on points. The next couple of rounds were slightly in favour of Summers. The strenuous part of the contest started with the sixteenth round. Both men were now fighting very hard and evenly. Summers from this out paid a lot of attention to Douglas' body, with the result that Douglas tired during the last three rounds. As time went on Summers evinced a decided inclination to mix things with his opponent, and whenever he did so, he invariably had decidedly the better of things. Douglas, nevertheless, kept going, and scored frequently with right swings to the jaw. The last couple of rounds were very bitterly contested, Summers quite outpointing Douglas. The last round was all in favour of Summers.

A more patient fight than that put up by Summers can scarcely be imagined. He took all the punishment that Douglas could inflict in the early stages, and when the tide turned slightly in his favour, he made the most of his opportunity, with the result that he secured a draw, after being so far behind on points, that it seemed almost impossible for him to make up the leeway.

ROBBERY AT KOSCIUSKO.

Some days ago a showcase at the Government hotel, Mount Kosciusko, was broken open and a rug, half a dozen swimming costumes, and some cigar and cigarette holders were stolen. About the same time a bag belonging to an employee named Langdon was cut open and 37 sovereigns taken from it. The detectives have been investigating the case, and have succeeded in arresting a man in Sydney in connection with the robberies.



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PARKES ELECTORATE.

We beg to notify all the Liberal Electors of this Constituency that Mr. HERBERT EDWARD PRATTEN has been selected by delegates representing 2500 Members of the various Branches of the Parkes Federal Liberal League as their Candidate to contest the Constituency at the forthcoming election in the interests of the Deakin-Cook Party, and the embodiment of the Financial Agreement in the Constitution.

On behalf of the Executive,
ALFRED CRANE, President.
A. L. POLSON, Secretary.

March 2nd, 1910.

ELECTORS OF PARKES.

Mr. H. E. PRATTEN Speaks TO-NIGHT, at Lacey-street, Summer Hill, at 8 o'clock; and at Liverpool-road, Ashfield, at 9 o'clock.

SENATE CAMPAIGN.

The Senate Labour Candidates, GARDINER, M'DOUGALL, and RAE (one or two of them), will Address Meetings as follows:—

Tamworth, Mon. March 7. Casino, Saturday, March 12.
Armidale, Tues., March 8. Byron Bay, Mon. Mch. 14.
Glen Innes, Wed., March 9. Lismore, Mon. March 14.
Tenterfield, Thurs., Mch. 10. Murwillumbah, Tues. Mch. 15.

J. GRANT, Gen. Sec. P.L.L. N.S.W.

EAST SYDNEY. S. E. LEES, the Selected Liberal Candidate, will Address the Electors from the Balcony of PRESIDENT LINCOLN HOTEL, Forbes and Cathedral streets, Woolloomooloo, MONDAY NIGHT NEXT, 8 O'CLOCK. In support: Chairman, Alderman ARTHUR McELHONE, In support: SENATOR COLONEL NEILD, Mr. J. J. COHEN, M.L.A., and other prominent public men. J. A. CARROLL, Hon. L. P. IREDALE, Secs.

THE SENATE CANDIDATES.—Messrs. GARDINER, MACDOUGALL, and RAE, the Labour Candidates for the Senate, commence a three-weeks' tour on the Northern Tableland and North Coast Districts on MONDAY NEXT at Tamworth. They will be at Armidale, Glen Innes, and Tenterfield on the three following nights; then Casino on the 12th. Dividing their forces they will speak at Byron Bay and Lismore on the following Monday; then at Murwillumbah, Grafton, Coff's Harbour, Kempsey, and Taree on the succeeding nights of the same week, Wingham 21st, Gloucester 22nd, Stroud 23rd, and Dungog 24th.

SOUTH SYDNEY.—EDEN GEORGE, Selected Liberal, will speak as under:—REDFERN TOWN HALL, TUES. Next, Mch. 8, at 8 p.m. NORTH BOTANY, TOWN HALL, THURSDAY NEXT, March 10, 8 p.m. His Worship the Mayor in the chair.

LABOUR Women's Demonstration.—Mr. J. C. Watson will Address the Women Electors in the I.O.O.F. Temple, Elizabeth-st, MONDAY, March 14, 8 o'clock. Mrs. K. Dwyer will also. Adm. by Mr. J. R. [illegible]

RELIGIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Church of England.

ST. ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL. Fourth Sunday in Lent. Holy Commun. at 8, 10, 11. 11 a.m., Mattins. Anthem, "O, Saviour of the World" (Goss). Preacher, Canon HEY SHARP. 4.30 p.m., Holy Baptisms and Churchings. 7 p.m., Evensong. Anthem, "All ye that cried unto the Lord" (Mendelssohn). Preacher, Rev. H. G. BOWE. Wednesday, at 1.15 p.m., Missionary, Rev. H. Sanderson-Smith. Thursday, at 1.20 p.m., Rev. R. Goddard. Friday, 4, Story of the Cross; 7.45, Rev. L. Radford.

ALL SAINTS', Woollahra.—The Rev. Canon Tucker, of Melbourne, at 11 a.m.

CHRIST CHURCH, Bexley.—Anniv. Servs.; 8 a.m., H.C., Rector; 11 a.m., Curate; 3 p.m., Mr. Gordon.

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. LAURENCE.—Holy Communion, 7.30 a.m.; Mattins, 10.30 a.m.; Choral Eucharist (Harwood, in A Flat), and Sermon, 11 a.m.; Children's Service, 3.45 p.m.; Litany, 7 p.m.; Evensong and Sermon, 7.30 p.m.

CLERGY PROVIDENT SUNDAY, 6th MARCH. Collections asked for the Fund. New Members share in the Collections. All information from Org. Secretary, Rev. J. HARGRAVE, Box 1449, G.P.O., Sydney.

HOLY TRINITY, Lower Fort-st.—Preachers: 11, Archdeacon D'Arcy-Irvine; 7.15, Rev. W. H. Stevenson.

NEWTOWN, ST. STEPHEN'S. Morning, 11, Holy Communion, Rev. W. L. Langley; 4 p.m., Men's Service, Rev. W. L. Langley. Subject, "Living in Glass Houses." 7 p.m., Rev. W. L. Langley.

ST. JOHN'S, D'hurst.—Holy Communion, 8 and 11; Rector, 11 a.m.; Rev. F. H. Diston Morgan, 7.15.

ST. SIMON'S and ST. JUDE'S, Campbell-st, Surry Hills.—11 a.m., H.C.; 7.15 p.m., Rev. Hammond.

ST. MICHAEL'S, Flinders-st.—8 and 11, H.C.; 11, Rev. Dr. Marriing; 7.15, Rev. Stanley G. Best.

ST. PHILIP'S, Church-hill.—11 a.m., H.C.; 7 p.m., Rev. Canon Bellingham, M.A.

ST. MATTHIAS, Paddington.—H.C., 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.; 7.15 p.m., Preacher, Rev. N. Jenkyn.

ST. THOMAS', North Sydney.—8 a.m., 11 a.m., 11.45 a.m., Rev. F. Wilkinson; 7.20 p.m., the Rector.

ST. BARNABAS', George-st W.—11, H. C., Rev. W. A. Charlton; 7, Rev. J. Howell Price.

ST. PAUL'S, Redfern.—11 a.m., Ven. Archdeacon Boyce; 7 p.m., Rev. F. Dillon.

ST. JOHN'S, GLEBE.—11, Mattins and Holy Com., Preacher, Rev. Clive Statham; 7.15, Evensong.

ST. CLEMENT'S, Marrickville.—27th ANNIVERSARY, 11 a.m., Rev. L. H. Redford, D.D. 4 p.m., Men's Service, Archdeacon Bartlett. 7.15, Ven. Archdeacon Bartlett, M.A.

S. JAMES'S, KING-STREET.—8 and 9, Holy Communion; 10.15, Matins and Litany; 11, Choral Eucharist and Sermon; 3, Children's Service; 7.15, Evensong and Sermon; 8.30, Instruction. Preacher at 1.25 daily next week, Rev. T. HILHOUSE TAYLOR.

ST. PAUL'S, CHATSWOOD.—Missionary Sunday, March 6th, 9.55 a.m. and 3 p.m. (children); 11 a.m., H.C.; and 7.15 p.m. Preacher, Rev. S. M. Johnstone, B.A., Gen. Sec. Church Miss'y Assoc. Special Offering at all services for St. Paul's own Missionary, Rev. G. H. Cranswick, India.

THURSDAY, Mar. 10, 2.30 p.m., Special Service for Women. Preacher, Rev. H. S. BEGBIE.

BIBLE SUNDAY, 13th March.—Annual Meeting British and Foreign Bible Society, Y.M.C.A., March 15.

Presbyterian.

AUBURN.—11, Worship in Chapel; 3 and 7, Services in Town H. Anniv. T. Hagger, pchr. Social Tues.

ANNANDALE.—11.0. Mem'l.—11 and 7, Rev. J. S. Scott. Official visit Mayor and aldermen. Solo-ist, Miss Muriel White. Men's Brotherhood, 4 p.m., Add., Mr. J. Sandy. How Drink Trad. Hits Wkg. Man.

CHALMERS, Chalmers-st.—Rev. Angus King. COMMUNION SERVICES. 11, The Redeemer's Tears. 7.15, The Problem of Hope.

DRUMMOYNE. Preacher, Rev. S. H. Reid, Morning, 11, Communion; Even., 7.15, The Marks of Christ.

FULLERTON MEMORIAL, SURRY HILLS. HARVEST FESTIVAL SERVICES. 11, Rev. E. Moore; 7.15, Rev. Principal Aspinall. Appropriate Music.

GLEBE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Morning, at 11, evening, at 7. Preacher, Rev. J. F. G. Orr.

MACNEIL MEMORIAL, Denison-st, Wav.—Rev. T. Morgan. 11, Scotts' Parade; 7, Christ's Poverty.

NORTH ST. LEONARDS, Crow's Nest.—Rev. Alex. Clark. Morning, 11; Evening, 7.15.

PADDINGTON.—Communion, 11 a.m., "Ye Also;" 7.15 p.m., "Is it I?" Rev. G. Cholmers.

PALMER-ST.—Rev. W. Anderson, B.A. 11, What to give up and what to Keep; 7, The Dying Thief.

PETERSHAM, Gordon-st.—Rev. Lewys Davies, of Young, 11 and 7.15.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF EASTERN AUSTRALIA, FREE ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, Castlereagh-street, Rev. W. McDONALD, 11 and 7. The Fiftieth Anniversary of the Opening of the Church will be commemorated on Sabbath, 13th, by three Services.

RANDWICK.—Rev. C. H. Talbot. 11, Communion; 7.15, "Unto Eternity." Soloist, Mr. Spencer.

ST. JAMES', Burwood.—Rev. R. Scott West. 11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m. Communion at Morning Serv.

STANMORE.—11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m., Rev. C. A. White, B.A. Organists, see "Wanted" Column.

ST. DAVID'S, Dobroyde-Haberfield.—Rev. Dr. Merrington; 11, Com.; 7.15, Our First Business.

ST. PETER'S, N. Syd., Presbyterian Church.—Rev. J. Kinghorn, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

ST. ANDREW'S Presbyterian Church, Sydney.—Services, 11 and 7. Preacher, Mr. G. McAlpine (Eng.).

SCOTS CHURCH, CHURCH-HILL, near Wynyard-square. Morning Service, 11; Evening, 7. Dr. DILL MACKY will preach at both services. EVENING SERVICE: 2nd Lecture on the Apocalypse. The Seven Stars and the Seven Golden Candlesticks. All are cordially welcomed.

ST. STEPHEN'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PHILLIP-STREET. Bible Class, 10 a.m. Morning Service, 11, "THE INWARD MAN." Quarterly Communion. Evening Service, 7, "IF HE HAD NEVER BEEN BORN." Preacher at both Services, Right Rev. John Ferguson.

ST. ENOCH'S, NEWTOWN. Preacher, Rev. C. E. JAMES. Evening, at 11.—Subjects: (a) For Children, "THE RAINBOW;" (b) for Adults, SERMONS ON JOB—No. 4, "THE TRUE WISDOM." Evening, at 7.15.—COMMUNION SERVICE. MONDAY, at 8, LANTERN LECTURE: NORWAY. Collection for New School-hall Fund. THURSDAY EVENING, LECTURE No. 8: LUTHER. Admission Free. No Collection. Students invited.

WAVERLEY.—Graham Memorial, Charing Cross. Rev. J. Macaulay, M.A. 11 and 7.15, Communion.

WOOLLAHRA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Preacher, Rev. JAMES COSH, M.A., B.D., 11 a.m., 7.30 p.m.

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Congregational.

BOURKE-ST.—Rev. C. Whyte, M.A., 11, "The Vineyard;" 7.15, "Faith's Exploits." Communion.

BURWOOD Congregational Church.—Rev. Joseph Bryant, 11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m.

CROYDON.—Rev. T. E. Slater, 11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m. Communion Morning Service.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, NEWTOWN. Rev. ABSALOM DEANS. At 11, Offence of the Cross; Com. at 12.15. At 7, WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

DULWICH HILL.—Rev. W. H. Rayner, B.A., 11, Prophets; 3, Micah; 7, The Great Victory. Com.

MANLY.—Rev. W. L. Slack. Morning, 11; evening, 7.30, "God's Girding."

MOSMAN.—Rev. A. H. Austin, at 11 and 7.15 (Com. Service).

NORTH Sydney Congregational.—Rev. F. V. Dowling, B.A., 11 and 7.15. Communion Morning.

PETERSHAM.—Rev. C. H. Statham, at 11 and 7; the Pastor's 1st Ann., 7. Communion after evg. service.

PITT-STREET CHURCH. Rev. N. J. COCKS, M.A. 11 a.m.—Consecration and Communion Service. 7 p.m.—Special Subjects for Easter: (1) THE MAN WITH THE WATER JAR. MUSIC: Solo: "O God, Have Mercy" (Mendelssohn). Anthems: "Sanctus and Benedictus" (Hummell). EVERYBODY HEARTILY WELCOMED.

REDFERN.—Rev. F. Binns will preach To-morrow at 11 and 7.15. Communion and Consecration Service.

SUMMER HILL Congregational. Rev. R. A. Thompson, B.A., 11 and 7. Communion after morn. service.

WAVERLEY. 11 a.m., Rev. F. North; 12.15, Communion; 7.15, Mr. Jas. M'Intyre.

WATERLOO. Rev. I. Baskenham, 11 and 7. Grand Concert by Mr. J. W. E. Poole and Friends, on WEDNESDAY, 9th March. Tickets, 6d. Programme 4d.

WOOLLAHRA CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Jersey-road.—Rev. REGINALD REYNOLDS, M.A. 11 a.m., The Fulfiller; 12.5 p.m., Communion, 7.15 p.m., "The Sins of the Fathers."

WHITEFIELD'S (Rev. A. RIVETT), Devonshire-street. 11 a.m.—(1.) GETHSEMANE. 7.15 p.m.—(II.) BETRAYAL. Anthems: Now is Come Salvation (Bunnett), Ave Verum (Gounod).

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Methodist.

CENTRAL METHODIST MISSION. LYCEUM HALL. 11, Family Service, Rev. F. J. CURWOOD. 3, People's Service, Rev. B. VAROOE COCK, "The Mighty Atom." "PEOPLE'S OWN," 3 O'CLOCK. Address by the Minister for Defence, the HON. JOSEPH COOK, M.H.R., "IS THE WORLD GROWING BETTER?" FINE MUSICAL PROGRAMME. Soloist, Miss E. Pidcock and Mr. H. C. Wilson. Everybody cordially invited. Every seat FREE. RAWSON HALL, 7 p.m., Mr. J. Gilmour. Consecration Service, Conference Hall, Castlereagh-street, TO-NIGHT, 7.30.

BOURKE-ST MISSION.—Conf. preachers: 11, Rev. J. Hopkins; 7.15, Rev. A. J. Burt. Praise Ser., 7.

GLEBE-RD.—Sunday School Anniversary, 11, Rev. L. H. Kelynack, B.A.; 3, Rev. H. E. Andrews; 7, Rev. H. C. Foreman, B.A. Annual Meeting, Monday. Special Singing all Services. Orchestra, Action Songs.

LEICHHARDT MISSION HALL, WETHERILL-ST. CONFERENCE SERVICES. 11, Rev. S. Bembrick; 7.15, Rev. H. Wheen. Even. Subj.: "Broken Altars." 8.30, Lord's Supper. MEN'S BROTHERHOOD.—2.45, Rev. H. C. Foreman, B.A., "Temptation and Responsibility." Discussion. Men invited. Augustin-st. 11, Rev. H. Wheen; 7, Rev. S. Bembrick. Popular Hymns. All seats free.

METHODIST CHURCH, MOSMAN. MARCH 6, 1910. 11 a.m., Rev. W. H. Jones; 3 p.m., Mr. G. Berry; 7 p.m., Rev. J. Green.

METHODIST CHURCH of AUSTRALASIA. NEW SOUTH WALES CONFERENCE. TO-DAY, 9.30 A.M. PASTORAL SESSION.

PADDINGTON.—11, Rev. T. Ellison; 7, Tramway Mission Party. Evangel. Service. All Sankey Hymns.

RANDWICK.—11, Rev. T. B. Holmes; 7.15, Rev. W. H. Rogers, of Maitland. Kensington: 11, Rev. W. H. Rogers, of Maitland; 7.15, Rev. W. W. Roger.

SOUTH SYDNEY METHODIST MISSION, Wesley Church, Regent-street.—11 a.m., Rev. J. W. Holden; 3 p.m., Conference Camp Meeting, Prince Alfred Park; 7 p.m., Rev. W. G. Taylor. Anthem, "Come, Let us Join Our Cheerful Songs." Churchill Male Voice Choir. Mount Lachlan.—11, Rev. H. Wiles, 7, Rev. J. Ward Harrison.

RELIGIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

STANMORE METHODIST CHURCH.—11, Rev. J. G. Martin; 7, Rev. Charles Wesley.

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Baptist.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Burton-st, city.—Pastor, H. Putland. 11 a.m., Communion; 7 p.m., Welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Petersham.—Rev. B. Gawthorp, 11 and 7. Seats free. All Welcome.

BATHURST-ST CHURCH.—Rev. James Barker. Morning, The Lord's Supper; Evng., Evang. Service.

DULWICH HILL.—Ordination Services of Rev. W. Clough Black. 11 a.m., "Charge to Church," delivered by Rev. W. A. Southwell. 7 p.m., "Charge to Pastor," delivered by Dr. T. Porter. Public Recognition Meeting on MONDAY, at 8 p.m. Speakers: Revs. W. M. Cartwright, B. Gawthorp, R. Jennings, C. Y. Tinsley, C. T. Way, and Pastor. All Welcome.

MARRICKVILLE Baptist Sunday School Anniversary. Morning, 11, Mr. Herbert Tanner; 3, Rev. H. Putland; 7, Mr. H. M. Hawkins. Monday, 7.45, Recitations, Prizes, Reports, Collection.

N. SYDNEY, Ernest-st tram stop.—Rev. D. Steed, 11 and 7, "My Island Home."

NEWTOWN.—11, "The Word of God in Men;" 7 p.m., "God's Lost End accour." Rev. Geo. Menzies.

PARTICULAR Baptist Church, Castlereagh-st.—Services 11 a.m., 7 p.m. Pastor, F. Fullard.

STANMORE BAPTIST CHURCH.—11 a.m. and 7 p.m., Rev. C. J. Tinsley. Prayer Meetings, 7 and 10 a.m.

WAVERLEY BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. G. P. Jones, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Prayer Meetings, 10.30 and 6.30.

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Churches of Christ.

AT City Temple, Campbell-st.—11, Worship; 7, Big Font-st. Rally. Pr., J. J. Franklyn, L.O.I., R.g.

CANNON-ST, Petersham.—11, Worship; 7, J. Clydesdale. Bible Sunday. All welcome; no collection.

CHRISTIAN Chapel, N. Syd.—Worship, 11; J. Colbourne, 7, "A City in Sackcloth." All wel.; no coll.

ENMORE Tabernacle.—11 and 7, Geo. T. Walden, M.A. Subject: "One Thing I Know."

ERSKINEVILLE, Toogood-st.—11, Lord's Supper and Address. Gospel Serv., 7. Preacher, H. G. Payne.

HURSTVILLE Hall, Forest-rd.—11, Worship; Gospel Address by J. Crawford. A hearty inv. to all.

MARRICKVILLE, Illawarra-rd.—11, Breaking of Bd.; 7, C. Watt, evangelist, conducts evangelistic mtg.

MOSMAN Town H.—11, Lord's Supper; 7.30, S. H. Mudge preaches, subj.: The Value of the Soul.

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Other Services, Etc.

UNITARIAN CHURCH, HYDE PARK. Minister, Rev. G. WALTERS. SPECIAL SERVICES, TO-MORROW, SUNDAY, by REV. W. TUDOR JONES, Ph.D., F.R.G.S. 11 a.m., "Professor Eucken of Jena, one of the Creators of the Religion of the Future." 7 p.m., "MY PILGRIMAGE FROM CALVINISM TO UNITARIANISM." Special Collections for Church Fund. NEXT TUESDAY, Dr. TUDOR JONES on "The Present Position of the Problem of Immortality."

AT Foresters' Hall, 330 Castlereagh-st.—Christian Spiritual Service To-morrow Evening, SUN., 7.15.

A FREE Public Lecture, Sunday, 7 p.m. Sub.: "The Cross and the Crown." SYDNEY CHRISTADELPHIAN ECCLESIA, 413 Elizabeth-st (near Devonshire-st).

AT NEW MASONIC Hall, Castlereagh-street, 3 p.m. Address, "Christian." 7.15, Gospel Address. All Welcome.

AT QUEEN'S HALL, SUNDAY, 7.15 P.M. MRS. ANNIE TURNER (Vic.). Trance description; Passing of a Spirit from the body and entrance through the gate ajar. Solo, Mrs. Ruth Turner, Kimpton (Vic.). N.B.—Public Demonstrations, Mon. and Fri., 8 p.m.

AT QUEEN'S HALL, SYDNEY. 3 p.m. "The Reconciliation of all Things." The Great Purpose of Divine Love. By PROF. A. J. ABBOTT, Pres. Ch. Assfm. Opening by Mrs. ANNIE FOSTER-TURNER. Evening: "Spirit's Departure" Mrs. TURNER.

ADDRESS, "WHAT IS THE KINGDOM LIKE?" SUNDAY, 7.15 p.m. 39 HUNTER-STREET, CITY. Collection.

AT PROGRESSIVE THOUGHT HALL, 9 Moore-street. Mrs. R. E. STEEL, SUNDAY, 11 a.m., "The Greatest Thing in the World." At 7.15 p.m., M. LINDLEY CHILD, "Brain and Soul: Are they Identical; or Can the Soul Survive the Body?" The Rev. Dr. ZILLMANN, SUNDAY EVENING, 13th March (To-morrow Week), at above Hall, "THE DALAI LAMA of Thibet and Buddism."

ATTENTION.—COMMONWEALTH CHRISTIAN EVIDENCE AND GOSPEL SOCIETY, LEIGH HOUSE, Castlereagh street. Owing to splendid attendance at last Wednesday's Lecture, entitled "When it was Dark," by Mr. Miller Argue, the Committee regret that a large number had to be turned away, and beg to announce that it will be given again the FIRST WEDNESDAY NEXT MONTH, APRIL 6th. By order, W. CUSH, Secretary.

ATTENTION.—COMMONWEALTH CHRISTIAN EVIDENCE SOCIETY, LEIGH HOUSE, Castlereagh-st. NEXT WEDNESDAY, 8 P.M. LECTURE by Mr. ROBT. MILLER ARGUE, entitled, How the People are DUPED, DRUGGED, AND POISONED. Ladies specially invited. Committee specially announce they do not guarantee seats after 7.45. Admission Free.

ATTENTION. COMMONWEALTH CHRISTIAN EVIDENCE SOCIETY announce the opening of their CHRISTIAN EVIDENCE BOOK AND BIBLE DEPOT, also HEADQUARTERS, on MONDAY, MARCH 28th, at 289 PITT-STREET, near Bathurst street. By order, W. CUSH, Secretary.

ATTENTION.—COMMONWEALTH CHRISTIAN EVIDENCE SOCIETY'S LECTURER, Mr. MILLER ARGUE, speaks at the Enmore Brotherhood on SUNDAY AFTN. The Marvels of Astronomy and Bible Compared.

ATTENTION.—COMMONWEALTH CHRISTIAN EVIDENCE SOCIETY YOUNG MEN'S BIBLE CLASS, largest in Sydney, meets at LEIGH HOUSE, MONDAY NIGHT, at 8. Admission free. Mr. Argue in charge.

ATTENTION.—COMMONWEALTH CHRISTIAN EVIDENCE SOCIETY.—Mr. Miller Argue speaks at St. Andrew's Hall, Kent-street, near Bathurst-street, SUNDAY, 7.15 p.m., on "Professor Agazzi's Dilemma."

BRITISH SPIRITUALISTIC LYCEUM, Sydney, Branch Leigh House, Sunday, 11 a.m. Recitation, Sunday. Mind and body developed. Parents and children invited. W. ADAM, Conductor.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN BIBLE SOCIETY, Petersham Branch. The Annual MEETING will be held (D.V.) on THURSDAY, March 10th, in the Presbyterian Church, Stanmore (near the station), at 8 o'clock. The Rev. H. S. BEGBIE will preside, and the meeting will be addressed by the Rev. C. A. WHITE, B.A., Mr. CHAS. E. BOWEN, and other gentlemen. S. D. LEWIS, Hon. Sec.

C.E. CHOIR PRACTICE, April 7. Get Music C.E. Office.

CHRIST'S BRETHREN, Queen's Hall, Pitt-street.—Sunday, 7.15 p.m. An Address will be given on "SATAN—The Devil's Demons." All welcome. Questions answered. NO COLLECTION.

CHRISTADELPHIAN (The Sydney Ecclesia), L.O.O.F. TEMPLE, Elizabeth-st, near Liverpool-st. Meeting for the BREAKING OF BREAD, 11 a.m. LECTURE, 7 p.m. "THE HEIR OF THE WORLD."

CHURCH OF SEERS, Queen's Hall, Sunday, 3.15 p.m. Personal experiences in the Occult by Messrs. A. J. Bush and C. Petersen. Clairvoyant descriptions. Mr. ALEXANDER MITCHELL. All welcome.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE. First Church of Christ, Scientist, Sydney. PROTESTANT HALL, Castlereagh-st.—SUNDAY SERVICES, 11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m. Subject: "MAN." SUNDAY SCHOOL, 11 a.m. WEDNESDAY MEETING, 8 p.m. READING-ROOM, 7th floor, Challis House, Martin-place. Open daily, 11 to 5 p.m.; Saturday, 10 to 1 p.m.; Wednesday, 11 to 5 p.m., and 6 to 7.30 p.m.

ENMORE Men's Brotherhood, Dispensary Hall, Enmore-rd, 3, Speaker, Robt. Miller-Argue, C.E., L.

FREE LECTURES. ODDFELLOWS' HALL, 228 Castlereagh-street. Thinking Christians and honest Sceptics are cordially invited to the following LECTURES by Mr. EDWARD NELSON, of Watch Tower Bible and Tract Society, Melbourne: On SUNDAY, 6th MARCH, 1910—11 a.m., "THE WAGES OF SIN, Is it Torment or Death which?" The Parable of Dives and Lazarus Explained. 3 p.m., "PRESENT TRUTH AND ITS PRESENT RESULTS IN CHARACTER BUILDING." 7 p.m., "FUTURE PROBATION, Its Necessity and Proof." No Collection. All Welcome. Non-Sectarian.

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH, Goulburn-st.—Pastor Schenk will Preach Every Sunday, at 11 a.m.

METAPHYSICAL SOCIETY OF N.S.W., School of Arts, PITT-STREET, SUNDAY, 7.15 p.m., LECTURE on "QUACKS AND QUACKERY." ALL WELCOME. NO COLLECTION.

NEW CHURCH (Sydney Society), Thomas-st.—11, Mr. J. H. Ball, "Miracles and Rationality." Evening, 7.15, Studies in the Internal Sense of the Sacred Scriptures. Subj.: "The Burning Bush."

NEWTOWN Spiritual Church hold a Service, St. George's Hall (No. 2 Room), Sunday, 7.15 p.m. Subject, "Why I Became a Spiritualist," answered by several speakers. Solo by C. M. Hudson. CHAS. M. HUDSON, Leader.

PROTESTANT HALL.—Dr. FREDERIC BELL, Ph.D., indefinitely POSTPONES MONDAY NIGHT'S LECTURE. Office Hours, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. 110 Hunter-street.

SYDNEY Theosophical Scty. (Stanmore Centre), at 56 Weymss-st, off Stanmore-rd (3 min. Enmore tce.). This Ev. (Sat.), 8. Lecture, "Symbology of the Bible," by Mr. Wiedeschn. Meeting, Sun., 8. All welcome.

SYDNEY THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY, King's Hall, 132 Phillip-street, SUNDAY, March 6th, 7.15 p.m., Mr. R. WISHART, Past Prest. Brisbane Lodge. THE WORK OF THE T.S. IN INDIA. Illustrated by Lantern Views.

SPIRITUALISTS' CHURCH OF N.S.W., Leigh House, Castlereagh-st. SUNDAY, 6th, Service, 3.15 p.m., Madame Mala's Inspirational Poem ("Jeanette"), assisted by Miss Simmons, Special Singing. Poem, "The Dawning Light." 7.15 p.m., Memorial Service to the late W. Johnson, jun. Speakers, Mrs. Banks and R. Towns. Poem, Mrs. K. Hayes. Solo, Mr. Banks. Public invited. W. Banks, Pres.; R. Towns, Hon. Sec.

SELF-REALISATION, CONCORDIA HALL, Elizabeth-street, near Liverpool-street. WILSON FRITCH will Speak on "WHAT IS GOD?" Kindly co-operating with the occasion, Mr. PHILIP NEWBURY will Sing: Aria, "If with all your hearts," Elijah (Mendelssohn). Song, "The Requital" (Blumenthal).

THE INDEPENDENT SPIRITUALISTIC ASSOCIATION meets every Sunday Night, 7.15, at 12 Glebe-road (near Broadway). Lecturer, Mr. Peer, Psychometrist, Madame Peer. All cordially invited. J. W. OATES, Pres.; W. PEER, Hon. Sec.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION. SUNDAY SERVICES, 4.30 p.m. Speaker, Miss FIRCH. Miss Meager will preside. NEXT FRIDAY, AT 8 P.M., DICKENS EVENING. Miss DALYELL, M.B. For Chair see Amusement Column.

Y.M.C.A. TO-NIGHT, AT 8, DEVOTIONAL MEETING FOR MEN. TO-MORROW and MONDAY. Special Series of Addresses by Mr. Benjamin Short on "The Tabernacle in the Wilderness," illustrated by magnificent model. TO-MORROW, at 3.15 p.m., and at 7.30 p.m. (for Men only). MONDAY, at 8 p.m. Ladies Invited.

HORSES, VEHICLES, LIVE STOCK.

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HORSES, Tipdray, and Harness, cheap; Dealer's Van Turnout, £10; Sulky, Horse, and Harness, £9; Milkcart, £5; Butchers' Spring Carts, Order Carts, Waggons, Farm, Tip, and Spring Drays; also Horses, Mares, and Ponies, cheap. All kinds of Vehicles, new and sec.-hand. Square and Compass, 208 Geo.-st, Hmkt.

CASH OR TERMS.—20 Horses and Mares, from £4. Hooded Waggon, Horse, Harness, cheap; Heavy Draught Horse, suit farm; Village Cart, Pony, Harness, £10; Tipdray, Horse, Harn., £10; Dealer's Van, Horse, Harness, £9; Sulky, Horse, Harness, £9; Springcart, Horse, Harness, £7; Butcher's Cart, Horse, Harness, £10; Farm Dray, Horse, Harness, £16. 502 Kent-street, off Liverpool-street, city.

CASH OR TERMS.—20 Horses, Mares, and Vehicles of every description, from £8; Waggons, Dealers' Vans, Tipdrays, Springdrays, £6; Milkcarts, £10; Pony Vans, Vill. Car., Pony, Harness, £16; Sulky Turnout, £12; Fruit Van Turnout, £12. No. 13 Brisbane-street, off Oxford-street, Hyde Park.

TEN Horses, Mares, and Ponies, from £6; Hooded Waggon Turnout, £22; Single Lorry, £24; Turnout, suit rabbiters, £14; Sulkies, Village Carts from £6; Fruit Vans, Spring Drays, Tip Drays, Farm Drays, New Sulky Pony Turnout, neat lot, £22; Pony, £10. No. 212 Goulburn-street, near Riley-st, Surry Hills.

TIME-PAYMENT.—Trollies, Tipdrays, Waggons, Sulkies, Butchers' and Bakers' Carts, Dealers' Vans, 20 Horses and Mares, suit farm work or any business, from £3, week's trial given; 30 sets of Harness, of all kinds, from £1. Q.C.E. Hotel, Abercrombie-street, off George-st W.

BAY PONY, 14 hands, half-ton trial, Square Van, and Harness, almost new, suit dealer; Laundry Cart, with top, in good order, £7; light Pagnel Cart, £5; pretty Piebald Gelding, 12 hands, very quiet for children to ride. 134 Abercrombie-street, Redfern.

TIPDRAY, Mare, and Harness, £12; Pony, Sulky, Harn., £10; Springdrays, Village Carts, Waggons, new and second-hand; Harness; quiet Pony, lady can drive. 192 George-street, Erskineville.

THE Pick of 2 14-hands Ponies for Sale; also Sulky and Harness, no reasonable offer refused; 1 4-year-old, any trial. 1 Vernie and Union streets, Waterloo, near Redfern Park.

PONIES.—Choice of 2 quiet and reliable, 12.2, 13.2 hands. Weller, Parade, Liverpool rd, Enfield.

NEW Village Cart, patent axle, suit grocer, milk, laundry, Marair, Pitt and Raglan sts, Waterloo.

TIPDRAYS, 2 for Sale, second-hand, must sell, also good double-seated Buggy. Ferguson, Belmore.

BUTCHER'S Cutting Cart, good as new, must sell, cheap. Ferguson, blacksmith, Belmore.

TIPCART Turnout, lot £10. Apply Trevitt, blacksmith, Abercrombie-st, off George-st West.

FOR SALE, Bay HORSE, sound and staunch, suit any business. 90 Myrtle-st, city.

PONY TURNOUT (12.2) for Sale. After 12. No dealers. E. Shurratt, Harrow-rd, Rockdale.

DEALER'S VAN, Horse, Harness, £9; Sulky, £5; Village Cart, £7; Harness, from £1. 160 Palmer-st.

HORSE, Sulky, Harness, £9, or separate. City Livery Stables, Palmer-st, near William-st.

FOR SALE, good upstanding Bay Horse, suitable double or single harn. Morrows, Ltd., William-st.

TWO heavy Draught MARES, Tipdrays, and Harness for Sale, any trial. 28 Dowling-st, Redfern.

FOR SALE, newly-calved COW, very quiet, suit priv. family, no bail. Lasbon, Forest-rd, Hurstville.

PRIVATE SALE, Brown HORSE, 15 hands, aged, cheap. After 1 p.m. E. Davis, Platts-aven, Belmore.

FOR SALE, set Sulky HARNESS, good order, £2; set Springcart Harness, £2. 38 Park-rd, St. Peters.

SACRIFICE, good Bay GELDING, used to sulky, £5 5s. 45 Sutherland-st, St. Peters.

PONY, VILLAGE CART for Sale, cheap. 36 Ferndale-st, Newtown.

FOR Sale, good Draught Mare, Tipdray, and Harness; Suitable Furniture Van. 266 Castlereagh-st, city.

FOR SALE, Jersey Cow, no further use, cheap. J. J. Ward, William-st, Canterbury.

WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS. For "That Tired Feeling."

SALE, 14h. Pony, Bent.s, Sulky, Harn., good and reliable, £25. 21 Arundel-st, F. Lodge.

GREY MARE, staunch and sound, suit milkman or butcher, £7, trial. 63 Kent-st, Newtown.

FOR Sale, a Draught Horse, any trial. Apply No. 4 Edmund-st, Waverley.

GOOD Milch Cow, with calf, 2 days old. Apply J. M. Tully, Northumberland rd, Auburn.

STRONG Bradley CART, suit traveller, or Exchange for Pony Sulky, cheap. 108 Albion-st, Surry H.

FIRST-CLASS Livery Stable, clearing £8 wk., Turnouts in gd. order; lsrg. 42 Stirling-st, Enmore.

FOR SALE, SULKY and HARNESS, cheap. 51 Day-st, Leichhardt, near Town Hall.

FOR SALE, Bay MARE and FOAL, well bred, saddle and harness. 124 Elswick-st, Leichhardt.

STYLISH Black Pony, 13.2, Sulky, and Harness; also, Bay Horse, 15.2, very fast, any trial; first-class Dealer's Van, Horse, and Harness. No reas. off. ref. 44 Kensington-street, city, off George-street West.

FOR Sale, a Heavy HORSE, suit tipcart, cheap, £8. 158 Morehead-st, Redfern.

FOR Sale, gd. Creamy Pony, £3; any trial; 1 Pony Milk Ct., £3 10s. Af. 4, or Sun. 152 M'head-st, Rfn.

HOODED Tray Sulky, sliding seat, brake, mail patent axle; good Harness; Chestnut Gelding, 15 hands, 7 yrs., quiet, free to drive, £52. GRIMLEY'S TANNERY, Waterloo Tram Terminus.

FOR Sale, pick of 2 HORSES, suit grocer, baker. 27 Parramatta-rd, Annandale, near Nelson-st.

OWNER wishes sell at once well-bred Cow, 2½ yrs., 1st calf, £4. App. c/o Saddlery, Paul, Hurstville.

CHOICE of 2 young Pony Sulky Turnouts. 452 Bourke-st, Surry Hills, near Fitzroy-st.

FOR Sale, one of best 12.2 Pony Turnouts, prize taker, al. new, Hilland, Cleal Villa, R. Ford, Kog.

WANTED, RACE PONY, 14.2 to 15 hands, run 6 furlongs, at once. Pony, South Leichhardt P.O.

WANTED, good set Heavy Van Harness. Fisher, 116 Marion-st, Leichhardt. Tel., 483 Pet.

WANTED, Light Sulky, suit 14 hd.; also, Pony Sulky, 12h., and Harn. Price, Sulky, P.O., Newtown.

WANTED, light SULKY, suit 12.1 pony, cheap. 50 Clara-st, Erskineville, near park.

WANTED, Spring SULKY and Harness, to suit 13-h. pony; also Pony. 15 Brown-st, Newtown.

WANTED, quiet thickset sound and reliable Horse, 16 hands. Apply Gemine, Newtown P.O.

WANTED, a Paddock for mare and foal, near Canterbury. Benney, Canterbury.

WANTED to BUY, HORSE and VAN, or WAGGON, must have constant work, warehouse or store. State price. Apply to J. KIRBY, Clevering, Adelaide-street, Woollahra.

MACHINERY.

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FOR SALE, MARINE BOILER, 7ft by 5ft 6in, Board of Trade Certificate, 125lb working pressure. RODGERS BROS., Newcastle.

MAKERS' Mills, Crushers, Mixers, all purps., wet or dry. Pumps, Irrigating, Mining, Milling, Refrigerating, Elevating, Conveying, Coffee, Cocoa, Drying Crush. Roasting, Grind. Mach. Jacks, Regent-Chev. sts.

SALE, 24 h.p. Gas and Steam Engs., Newt Hexagon steel, John's Mill Pumps. Box 719, G.P.O.

FOR Sale, 10-h.p. Cal.-typ. Boiler, 6-4 h.p. Eng. and Boilers, 2 hydros., drawers, pulleys. Tel., 646 Nth.

MARINE BOILER, water barrel, 8 x 4, 78 1½in tubes, 6 plates, complete, for Sale. Toole, 70 Hunter-st.

FOR sale, AIR COMPRESSOR, Shaping Machine, split roller bearings. Steel Wings, Bay-rd Rail. Stn.

BELLOWS and Forges.—"The Abnoma" are the best practical workmen. Co-op. Broom Co., Glb. T., 6.

WINDMILL Pumps, brass lined, 35s each. Beulah, Liverpool-rd, Croydon.

FOR Sale, Foot Lathe, 5in centre, 4ft bed, chucks, etc., cheap. Reserve, 222 Balmain-rd, W. Lhrdt.

DYNAMO, 100 volts, 12 amps., 1st-class order, suit power, dons. A. P. Denney, Newington rd, Mksle.

SLIDING Saw Benches, accurate and quick, for Sale. A. D. Nelson and Co., engineers, Hay-st.

FRICTION CLUTCHES.—We make a high class Clutch. Write for particulars. A. D. NELSON and CO., Engineers, Hay-street.

FOR Sale, 20 h.p. Tubular Boiler, Copper, Fire Box, and all fittings. A. D. Nelson and Co., Hay-st.

PRINTING PLANT, in Liverpool-street, Sydney, nearly new, for SALE, cheap, or to Let. D.D. Wharfdale, Paten, Guillotine, Gas Engine, and large quantity of Type. Terms if req. J.M.N., 250 George-st.

BOILERMAKERS' Bending Rolls (new), a light set for sale for hand or power, fitted, with heads for bending angles and tees. A. D. NELSON and CO., Engineers, Hay-street.

MOTOR, 5-h.p., 415 volts, 3 phase, 1-h.p., 2-h.p., single phase, Dynamo, 40 amps, 110 volts, 20 amps., 50 volts, for Sale, first-class order. O'DONNELL and GRIFFIN, 105 Liverpool-street.

DYNAMO, 110 volts, 228 amps., spare armature, nearly new, £150. Lonsdale, Marrickville-rd.

GAS and Oil Engines built to order, 1 to 4 h.p., fr. £10. Chapman, Clara-st, Erskineville. T., 234 Ntn.

WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS. Buy Whole Bottles.

FOR SALE, 8-in. centre Tange's Lathe, 8ft gap bed, several chucks, all change wheels overhead, driving gear and treadle attachment, all in good working order, £20. MOODY and CO., 343 Kent-street.

WANTED, Col. Type Multi. Boiler, 2nd-hand, good order, about 60-h.p. Stanmore Preserving Co.

WANTED, Steam Engine, good order, about 6-h.p., second-hand. Stanmore Preserving Co.

WANTED, about 8-horse vertical BOILER, good and cheap. J. P., Haymarket P.O. Open week.

WANTED, s.-h. Foot-power Screw-cut. Lathe, in good order. Price, etc., E. Denney, 208 Eliz.-st, Syd.

WANTED to Buy, APPLE-DYNAMO, on terms. Apply Apple Dynamo, Herald Office.

WANTED, Small Marine or Colonial Boiler, 100lb pressure. Boiler, Rozelle P.O.

WANTED, 2-wheel Emery Stand, f. and l. pulley, any condition, price, etc. H.S., Erskineville P.O.

AUCTION SALES.

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FIRE. FIRE. SALVAGE. SALVAGE.

From the Warehouse of Mr. JAMES CLARK, Shipchandler, Scott-street, Newcastle.

MONDAY NEXT, MARCH 7th, AT 11 O'CLOCK, AT THE ROOMS, WOLFE-STREET, NEWCASTLE.

BY ORDER OF THE FIRE ADJUSTER, ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

THE WHOLE OF THE SALVAGE FROM THE LATE FIRE, COMPRISING: Canvas, Tarpaulins, Bunting, Copper Wire, Harpoons, Rope, Twine, Ropefenders, Ironmongery, Rubber and Asbestos Sheeting, a large assortment of Asbestos and other Packing, Lamps, Compass and Cords, Sailors' Knives, Boat Hooks, Assorted Paints, Oils, Varnish, Brushware, Door Mats, etc. Also, A LARGE QUANTITY OF Groceries, Tea, Coffee, Coarse and Fine Salt, Arnott's Ship Biscuits, Macaroni, Raisins, Preserved Meats, Sauces, etc., etc.

GREER and BERKELEY have received instructions from the Adjuster to Sell by Auction at the Rooms, Wolfe-street, Newcastle, on MONDAY, MARCH 7th, at 11 o'clock, The above, with all faults. Without Reserve. Terms Cash.

WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS. Buy Whole Bottles.

MONA EXTENSION EST., DARLING POINT, conveniently situated to city. Auction Sale, This Day.

GOOD Sec.-hand Typewriters, Remington No. 7, bargain, £12. Cash or terms. Stott, Hoare, Moore-st.

AUCTION SALES.

TO HEAVY CARRIERS, CONTRACTORS, AND OTHERS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. J. RILEY, Contractor, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, on TUESDAY NEXT, at 11.30 a.m., Chestnut Draught Gelding, 5yrs; Bay ditto ditto, 4yrs; both real good leaders. Pair Brown Draught Geldings, 4 and 5 years old, exceptionally good shafters; Shaft Waggon, 2 Sets Shaft Harness, 2 Sets Leading Harness. The above have been regularly working in the city, and are staunch and reliable; can be highly recommended.

10 FRESH COUNTRY HORSES. 10.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. CHAS. HALL, Bathurst, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, at 11.30 a.m., 10 Good, useful, Light Harness Horses, all broken in, ready to put straight to work.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.

TUESDAY NEXT,

112 HEAD. 112 HEAD.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction as above.

On account Mr. ERNEST ARMSTRONG, Halloween, Raglan. 10 Superior Horses, comprising two or three heavy and medium Draughts, 2 good Buggy Horses, balance light Harness and Saddle Horses, all off the station, broken and unbroken.

On Account of Mr. GEO. CHINNOCKS, Campbelltown. 10 Fresh Country Horses, comprising 2 Heavy Draughts, 4 and 5 years old, balance useful Harness Horses and Ponies, all broken in.

On account Mr. JOHN PERRY, Stonehenge. 30 Exceptionally Good Heavy Draught Colts and Fillies, all the one brand, 3 to 5 years old, all in the pink of condition, unbroken. Worthy the attention of Brewers, Millers, Heavy Contractors, Dray and Van Proprietors, Farmers, and others.

*** Mr. Perry writes that we can with confidence invite buyers' special notice to the sale of these Horses, as they will be found a really tip-top lot.

On account Mr. G. J. LOVE, Mudgee. 30 First-class Horses, comprising Heavy and Medium Draughts and strong upstanding light Horses, suitable for cabs, grocers, and bakers' carts and general business use, all 4 to 6 years old, in good condition, broken and unbroken.

On account Mr. W. H. ANDERSON, Camelot, Narellan. 11 Upstanding Light Harness and Saddle Horses, all the right ages, broken and unbroken.

Included in the lot are 3 first-class Cab Horses, 3, 4, and 5 yrs old; one by Trotting Sire Yorkle, one by Trotting Sire Leo L.; one specially good Bay Buggy Mare, a prizetaker; Black Mare by Prockleigh from a Barb mare, winner of three steeplechases; a pair of 2-year-old Bay Buggy Colts; Splendid Grey Sulky Mare by Yorkle; also good Hackney, well bred; 2-year-old Black Pony.

On account Mr. J. CHRISTEY, Tamworth. 15 Upstanding Light Harness Horses, broken in.

On account Mr. J. D. McCONECHY, Liverpool: 3 Spring Van Horses, broken in, and 3 Tradesmen's Cart Colts and Fillies, unbroken.

On account Mr. E. McCAULEY. 2 Upstanding Light Horses, all in good condition, broken to saddle and harness.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.

WEDNESDAY NEXT, at 2 p.m.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, as above.

On account Mr. FRED. CHRISTEY, Parkes. 20 Very Superior Fresh Country Horses, comprising 10 Extra good Heavy Draught Geldings and Mares, worthy the attention of Brewers, Millers, Heavy Contractors, Dray Proprietors, and others; the balance strong Upstanding Light Horses. The whole consignment principally 4 to 6 years old, broken and unbroken, in the pink of condition.

On account Mr. D. McL. JAMISON, Warrangle, Rylstone. Black Horse, 5yrs, by HOLBROOK from a first-class mare, very fast; 3 Bay Medium Draught Colts and Fillies, 4yrs, unbroken; 1 Brown Med. Draught Colt, 3yrs; 1 Brown Springcart Horse, 16 hands; 1 Brown Sulky Horse; 3 upstanding Harness Horses, broken in.

On account of OWNERS. 20 Useful Harness Horses and Draughts, broken in.

IMPORTANT SALE of an old-established DAIRYING PLANT, In the Estate of the late JAMES SAUL, on the Premises, BOURKE-ROAD, ALEXANDRIA, on WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON NEXT, at 2.30 p.m.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the Executors in the Estate of the late Jas. Saul to sell by auction, As above, 23 First-class Cows, in full milk, 3 staunch Horses, 1 Milk Cart, with cans and measures, 1 Tip Dray, 1 Sp. Van, 3 Sets Harness, Chaffcutter, Plough, Dairy Utensils, Sundries, also Milk Run.

FOR POSITIVE SALE. The plant will be offered as a going concern, and if not sold in this way split up in lots to suit purchasers. Buyers can travel via Botany train, and alight at Beaconsfield-street.

ROYAL METROPOLITAN SHOW, MARCH 22nd TO 29th.

SALE OF RIGHTS TO REFRESHMENT ROOMS, ETC.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the Secretary Royal Agricultural Society to sell by auction, on the Show Grounds, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, MARCH 9, at 2.30 p.m., as under:—

1. THE COMMONWEALTH REFRESHMENT ROOM, Luncheon, Tea, and Refreshments (the purchaser must supply to the public between the hours of 6.30 a.m. and 8.30 a.m. a suitable meal at a cost not exceeding one shilling), Bent-street.
2. BOOMERANG REFRESHMENT ROOM, Luncheon, Tea, and Refreshments (next Main Pavilion).
3. FEDERAL STAND REFRESHMENT ROOM, including two small rooms in the enclosure, Luncheon, Tea, and Refreshments, Bent-street.
4. TENT RIGHT (back of Main Pavilion). Lessee to have right to erect a tent, luncheon, tea, and refreshments.
5. OYSTER SALOON, Oysters, Tea, etc., Park-road, opp. Wine Kiosk.
6. THE NEST, Tea and Refreshments, Loftus-street, near Exhibits Gate.
7. THE OFFICIAL STAND, TEA AND REFRESHMENT ROOM, under Official Stand.
8. THE JERSEY TEA AND REFRESHMENT ROOM, Bent-street, facing Cattle Section.

HORSES, HORSES, HORSES.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS. FRIDAY NEXT, AT 2 P.M.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SONS have received instructions to sell by auction, as above.

On account Mr. D. Alston, Tumut. 12 fresh country Horses, principally good, strong, upstanding light sorts, including a splendid pair of black geldings, 5 and 6 yrs. old, suit an undertaker.

On account Mr. J. S. O'DONNELL, West Maitland. 40 first-class Horses, comprising 20 splendid Heavy and Medium Draughts, 4, 5, and 6 yrs. old, in top condition, the balance strong, useful class business cart horses, and a few ponies, broken and unbroken, all in grand condition.

On account of Messrs. PRATLEY and MARSHALL, Coonamble. 20 Heavy and Medium Draughts and Upstanding Cab, Sociable, and Tradesmen's Cart Horses, 4 to 6 yrs. old, in good condition, broken and unbroken.

On account Mr. J. PERRY, Delungra. 30 high-class Horses. Particulars not yet to hand.

On account Mr. W. G. WATSON, Camden. 10 Upstanding Light Harness and Saddle Horses, all the right ages for work, broken in.

IMPORTANT HORSE SALE.

650 HEAD. 650 HEAD.

AT THE SHIRE YARDS, SINGLETON, MARCH 17th, 18th, AND 19th.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON (Sydney), GRAINGER and FALKINER, Ltd., and L. BAILEY and SON, Singleton, Auctioneers in conjunction, will sell as above,

650 HEAD FRESH COUNTRY HORSES. including—

450 LIGHT AND HEAVY DRAUGHT COLTS AND FILLIES, BROKEN AND UNBROKEN.

SPECIAL NOTICE. 400 of the above are the Property of Messrs. MOXHAM BROS. They are all first-class Medium and Heavy Draughts, 2 to 6 years old (principally 3 and 4 years old), and will be found a grand lot.

BUYERS REQUIRING DRAUGHT HORSES SHOULD NOT MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY.

ST. MARYS CATTLE SALE.

OUR NEXT SALE at the above Yards will be held on FRIDAY, MARCH 18.

Owners who intend favouring us with the Sale of their Stock for that date will oblige by forwarding particulars at once.

WILLIAM INGLIS AND SON, AUCTIONEERS.

ROYAL SHOW, MARCH 22nd to 29th.

OWNERS who are favouring us with the Sale of their Stock at the above time will oblige by sending along particulars at their earliest convenience in order that they may be included in Catalogues now being prepared.

WILLIAM INGLIS AND SON, PEDIGREE STOCK AGENTS, HEAD OFFICE, 244 PITT STREET.

DARLING POINT.—LAND SALE, THIS DAY, MONA EXTENSION ESTATE. RAINE and HORNE.

POULTRY, DOGS, ETC.

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SALE, 2 White Leghorn Cockerels, Padman laying strain. Portlos, H. Farrar, 44 Bruce-st, Stanmore.

FOR SALE, Brown Retriever Puppy Dogs. 78 Parramatta-rd, Lewisham, nr. Hospital.

FIFTY Ducklings, Chicks, Ducks, and Pullets, bargain, delivered. Croft, Marsh-street, North Bondi.

WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS. For Urinary Complaints.

MONA EXTENSION EST., DARLING POINT, conveniently situated to city. Auction Sale, This Day.

TWO great favourites—Foley's "CROWN" Brand Bacon and Ham. All grocers.

STATIONS AND FARMS FOR SALE.

Department of Lands, Sydney, 25th February, 1910.

CLOSER SETTLEMENT.

RICHLANDS ESTATE

(NEAR TARALGA).

GOULBURN LAND DISTRICT

37 FARMS

WILL BECOME AVAILABLE 29th MARCH, 1910.

Applications lodged from 29th March to 2nd April, 1910, will be treated as simultaneous. Full particulars, Lithographs, Application Forms, etc., may be obtained at the Information Bureau, Department of Lands, Sydney, or any Crown Lands Agent throughout the State.

ROBERT McDONALD, Under Secretary.

MOWBRAY ESTATE.

CHOICE DAIRY FARMS,

WITH FRONTAGES TO PATERSON RIVER AND MIRARI CREEK.

THIS ESTATE, SUBDIVIDED INTO CONVENIENT FARMS, IS OFFERED

FOR SALE BY TENDER.

Only 16 miles from West Maitland, three miles from Paterson, and WITHIN ONE MILE OF MARTIN'S CREEK STATION—first section North Coast Line, to be opened shortly.

The Homestead forms an ideal country home, beautifully situated. The improvements at the Homestead consist of a comfortable brick Cottage, up-to-date Milking Sheds, Dairy, Piggeries, Hayshed, Silo, Irrigation Plant, Men's Cottages (2), Cultivation, etc. Two other farms are complete with Cottages, Milking Sheds, Dairies, Yards, Cultivation, Fencing, etc.

Each Farm contains portion of what is admittedly some of the richest Lucerne Land in the State.

Butter Factory and School within one mile.

Particulars from the undersigned or at the Homestead. Inspection invited.

Tenders close 31st MARCH, 1910. Usual Commission to Agents introducing successful Tenderers if named in Tenders.

W. A. WINDEYER, Solicitor, 78 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

R. CHAPMAN AND SON, AUCTIONEERS, 108 PITT-STREET, right opp. G.P.O.

PREMIER SALESMEN OF THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

These choice properties are situated in the ROBERTSON DISTRICT, and are without doubt equal to anything in the State. The prices asked are ridiculously low for the value given, but we are instructed to sell, and the first genuine buyer who inspects is sure to buy.

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OWN YOUR OWN COSY HOME.

TALK IT OVER WITH YOUR WIFE; see whether she doesn't agree that it's unwise to keep on paying rent, when, by paying a moderate deposit and a weekly or monthly sum equal to, or less than, you now pay for rent, you can OWN one of GREIG'S CHARMING COSY HOMES.

BURWOOD, near the Park and Bowling Green, convenient walking distance to both the Burwood and Strathfield Stations, plenty of breathing space and ample garden accommodation for the city man fond of his home to turn his leisure hours to good and profitable account.—Strongly-constructed and faithfully-built COTTAGE HOME, of brick, on brick and cement foundation, cavity walls, tile roof, has wide hall, drawing and dining rooms. Two double airy bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, laundry, tubs, etc, verandah front (tiled) and rear. LAND 75ft by good depth. Double Frontage Allotment. PRICE, £585.

BURWOOD, STRATHFIELD.
Allowing 6 minutes' ride in the tram from your office to the Railway (Central Station), thence by a through train to Strathfield in 14 minutes, and an additional 3 minutes' walk to the door of the property, particularised herein. We are offering this inducement to the busy city man—How convenient all this must be to him.—Most attractive two-story HOUSE, well and truly built, cemented and painted, slate roof all over, everything in capital order, and the making of an ideal home when you are comfortably settled in it. The rooms, 6 in number, are all large, lofty, and well ventilated. Chest bedroom about 26 x 14, with two French windows opening on to wide balcony. The sanitary arrangements are complete, good yard.
PRICE ONLY £900. TORRENS.

BURWOOD. IN A GRAND LOCALITY.
GENT.'S COTTAGE RESIDENCE, FOR IMMEDIATE SALE.

This is the fifth time we have advertised this property for sale, and we intend it to be the last, as far as the present owner is concerned.

We emphasise the word last, because the Vendor is determined to accept the first reasonable offer that comes along.

We look to the city business man as a keen buyer, and if he takes our advice, and secures this bargain in a SUBURBAN HOME, at a low figure, he cannot possibly go wrong. A few little improvements are needed here and there, and when these are done they will greatly add to the appearance and value of the property, thereby ensuring a Big profit before very long.

THE LAND to the property is just under half an acre, with a total frontage of 66 feet to a street 100 feet wide.

THE COTTAGE stands back 60 feet from the road, and has a verandah (tiled), with marble nosing, 7 feet wide in the front, and on one side contains 6 large rooms, wide entrance hall, and complete domestic outoffices, bathroom, hot-water connections, etc; coach-house, stable, harness and man's rooms.

The first time we advertised the property at £950; afterwards £900; third occasion £875; the last time £825; and NOW we want you to put YOUR OWN PRICE upon it. We can help you by telling you that our estimation is £975. With a few improvements it ought to be worth £1100.

BURWOOD, NEAR THE APPIAN WAY.
WHERE THE GOOD DWELLINGS ARE.

A DESIRABLE COTTAGE RESIDENCE, on a valuable Corner Block of Land, about ¼ acre, suitable Professional Gentleman, contains 7 rooms and complete outoffices, wide return verandahs, garden, lawns, etc.
PRICE REDUCED TO £1075.

J. K. GREIG AND CO., BURWOOD.
OFFICES RIGHT NEXT TO THE STATION.
Offices open 6 To-day. Tel., 248.
We drive to inspect.

COSY HOMES FOR HAPPY PEOPLE.

STRATHFIELD HEIGHTS.—A BARGAIN.—Very comfortable D.F. Brick COTTAGE, contg. 4 large rooms, kitchen, laundry, bathroom, Land 50ft by a good depth, front and side entrance, fowl yards, fruit trees. PRICE, ONLY £430.

BURWOOD.—Double-fronted W.B. COTTAGE, nice position, close to station, contg. 4 good rooms and offices, 40ft by a good depth.
PRICE, ONLY £250. A BARGAIN.

STRATHFIELD.—Splendid Brick COTTAGE, high position, 5 good rooms, kitchen, and all offices, all in splendid order.
PRICE, £550. WORTH INSPECTION.

STRATHFIELD.—A Really Fine COTTAGE, in a picked position, and surrounded by first-class properties, close station, modern in design, and containing drawing-room and dining-room (connected), 4 splendid bedrooms, glassed-in verandah suitable for breakfast-room, front and side tiled verandah. ONLY JUST COMPLETED, and OPEN for any architect's inspection. Land, 66ft by 167. Torrens.
PRICE, £950. SPLENDID VALUE.

STRATHFIELD-BURWOOD.—Handy to either station, high, easterly aspect, very superior COTTAGE HOME, contains drawing and dining rooms, connected with folding doors, 4 large bedrooms, breakfast court, kitchen laundry, conservatory, pantries, etc., corner position.
75 FEET FRONTAGE. PRICE, £1050.
For Sale on account of owner's removal to country.

STRATHFIELD.—VERY SUPERIOR COTTAGE RESIDENCE, containing large drawing and dining rooms, 5 splendid bedrooms, bathroom (with all modern fittings), kitchen, laundry, and all offices, very wide verandahs (suitable for sleeping out), also stables and outoffices; splendid picked corner position; 140ft by 200ft, surrounded by first-class homes. The Grounds are beautifully laid out, gravel walks, lovely flower gardens, tennis and croquet lawns. OWNER LEAVING DISTRICT, and is prepared to accept £1850 FOR A QUICK SALE. Cards to view.

Office open till 6 p.m. daily.

ORTON BROS., STRATHFIELD.
Members Western Suburbs Real Estate Agents' Assoc'n.

NORTH SYDNEY, 1d section.—Detached Cottage, 4 rooms, kitchen, and offices, harbour view, land 33 x 133, Torrens, easy walk to tram or ferry ... £325
MILSON'S POINT.—Detached Cottage, 3 rooms, kitchen, and offices, elevated position, lovely harbour view, Torrens ... £275
NORTH SYDNEY.—£10 deposit, balance 16s week.—Detached Double-fronted Cottage, 3 rooms, kitchen, and offices, close tram or ferry, Torrens ... £150
2d SECTION.—W.B. Cottage, 4 rooms, kitchen, and offices, 300ft frontage, Torrens ... £270
1d SECTION.—Det. Stone Cottage, 6 rooms, kitchen, and offices, harbour view, ¼ acre land ... £625
BAT-ROAD, close station.—Detached Double-fronted Cottage, 6 rooms, kitchen, harbour view, Torrens £420.

Residences at all prices, with small deposits. Call or write for particulars. Offices open Saturday evening 7.30 till 10 o'clock; closed in the afternoon.

CLARKE and SOLOMONS, Walker and Blue sts (Tel., 6 N.S.), and M'Mahon's Point (Tel., 1272 N.S.).

WE OFFER TO GIVE AWAY OVER £200 WORTH OF LAND to the Purchaser of BRICK VILLA, close to Ashfield Station, containing hall, 7 good rooms, kitchen, pantry, bath, washhouse, all in good order, and which could not be built for the price at which we are prepared to sell the building and land. Torrens Title.
J. A. SOMERVILLE and CO., 4 Hercules-st, Ashfield.

A CHEAP BLOCK OF LAND AT CROYDON PARK, convenient to tram or train, 100ft frontage x 330ft deep. Torrens. Price £700. EASY TERMS.
AT HOMEBUSH.—Convenient to Station, elevated position.—Splendid Building Block, 160ft x 175ft. Price 25s per foot. EASY TERMS.
J. A. SOMERVILLE and CO., 4 Hercules-street, Ashfield.

CROYDON.—Det. Brick HOUSE, near station, 3 reception, 5 bed rooms, all conveniences, garden, etc, in first-class condition, bargain.
A. PICKETT, Edwin-street.

CAMPSIE, 3 minutes Station.—Two ALLOTMENTS, Beamish and Stanley sts, one at Belmore. Apply Mr. HARDISTY, Woodbine, Beamish-street, Campsie.

D.F. W.B. COTTAGE, 3 large rooms, hall, washhouse, bath, copper, tubs, pantry, cupboards, linen press, ver. back, ver. glassed (15 x 6), land 50 x 140. Torrens, £200, 4 min. stn, gift. Nepean, McKern-st, Campsie.

BURWOOD, 5 mins. Strathfield station.—ELSMERE, Gordon-st, choice position, 5 rooms, kitchen, all offices, land 50 feet, must sell, bargain, £465, cash.
OWEN, c.o. Mr. Macrae, Beamish-st, Campsie.

A CHANCE for an old-age pensioner, or others.—Land 40 x 120, weather-proof Room 12 x 12 hall, skillion, kitchen, few fruit trees, strawberry patch, city water, £37 cash. GAGAN, Caroline-st, off Fore-st, Canterbury.

DRUMMOYNE.—Tavistock-st, near P.O., just finished.—Cottage, 5 rooms, outoffices, stone foun., cavity walls, slate roof, marble mantels, well finished, elev. position, good views. PRICE, £560.

HEALTHY Bexley.—A Brick and Stone Cottage, 5 rms., kit., cop., bathr., washh., 10 fruit trees, garden, fowlhouse, cor. block, 60 x 140, 3 min. tram or 'bus, £300. Cash or easy terms. E.J.M., Wm. st P.O.

FERN HILL.—Gift, D.F., brick, stone found., slate r., 4 l. rs., k., cop., bath, 50 x 151, £370. Miller.

FERN HILL.—Now is your time. Sev. nice Cotts., cl. stn., 3, 4, 5 r., £300 up. Miller, Fern Hill.

HURSTVILLE, The Avenue.—Block Land, fenced, cheap, £2 dep. Schloeffel and Paul, H'ville.

HURSTVILLE.—Model Home, 5 rms., ev. conv., corner block, £550. Schloeffel and Paul, H'ville.

WAVERLEY.—Brick Cottage, 3 rooms, every conv., stable, terms. Lin. Eff, Rawson-st, Waverley.

MANLY.—Houses, Land, Investments, all parts. Apply Coghlan, Agent, North Manly. 'Phone, 106 Manly.

A NEW DETACHED COTTAGE, Lavaleye, Foster-street, Leichhardt. 5 rooms and outoffices, tram at door, small deposit, balance as rent.
A. B. RAND, Parramatta. Tel., 221 Par.

ARNCLIFFE, Barden-st.—60 x 136 to lane, close station. Torrens. 30 Rowley-st, Camperdown.

BEACH FRONTAGES, Little Coogee, easy terms. See Auction Advt. Alldis, Ltd., and W. Day.

DARLINGHURST, cl. 1d. section.—2 NEW Well-built BRICK HOUSES, ea. 5 rms., splen. LETTING POSITION, return 9 p.c., £850. Inspection invited. BROUGHTON and CO., 12 Oxford-st, Padd.

NEWTOWN, 5 min. to Tram and Train. Most exquisite S.F. Detached Brick COTTAGE, 5 rms., all mod. imprvmts., a perfect home, £460. SYDNEY RAHAR, 3 Wilson-st, nr. Bridge, Newtown.

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AUCTION SALES.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.
WEDNESDAY NEXT, MARCH 9, 1910.

J. H. BEALE AND CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, Account Mr. W. G. CRAGIE, Molong, 20 Horses, including a few good Draughts. Fuller particulars later.
Account Mr. C. B. FLYNN and Other Owners, 10 Horses. Fuller particulars later.

AUCTION SALES.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE. SYDNEY, 1910.

ANNUAL SALES OF BLOOD STOCK, ON MONDAY, APRIL 4th NEXT.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will hold their ANNUAL SALES of BLOOD STOCK at T. PAYTEN'S NEWMARKET STABLES, RANDWICK, as above, when they will offer:—
On account of the Executors in the Estate of the late Mr. SAMUEL HORDERN, THE WILTON PARK STUD OF THOROUGHBRED MARES AND STALLIONS; and
(in conjunction with Messrs. H. CHISHOLM and Co.) MR. JAMES BRENNAN'S HIGH-CLASS BROOD MARES, STALLIONS, RACEHORSES IN TRAINING, Etc.

Also,
BROOD MARES.
On account of Mr. J. R. HARDIE.
BUSY GIRL (4), b m (1904), by Trenton Cup (imp.)—Industrious (sister to Gaulus and The Grafter), by Gozo (imp.), with filly foal at foot by Mountain King, and served by Flavius (imp.).
On account of Mr. C. J. LAWSON, Richmond.
COUNTRY DANCE (imp.) (2), br m (1905), by Cherry Tree (son of Hampton)—Polka (dam of Court Ball, Csardas, Sauterelle, and Sailor's Hornpipe), by Galopin, covered in Australian time by Cornstalk (1) son of Trenton and Glare, by Ayrshire.
DAINTY GIRL (imp.) (1), ch m (1906), by Flying Lemur (bro. to Flying Fox)—Dainty Lady (dam of Lady Molly), by Surefoot (three-quarter brother to Sir Foote).
On account of Mr. W. B. LETHBRIDGE, Tregeare, St. Marys.
OLINDA, b m (1897) (sister to Loch Mea), by Lochiel—Lanias, by Roodee, with colt foal at foot by Projectile, and served by Fortunatus (imp.).
On account of Owner.
TIP TOP (29), ch m (1897) (dam of Al), by Thunderbolt from Quality, by Neckersgat. Served by Royal Artillery.
On account of Mr. E. J. READFORD, Westwood, Ilford.
RUTH, ch m (1896) (half-sister to Grampus), by Trident—Zyrina, by Barbarian, with colt foal at foot by Holbrook, and served by Kensington.
On account of the Exors. in the Estate of the late Mr. JAS. READFORD, Westwood, Ilford.
CLARIONET (16), b m (1891) (dam of Oboe), by Clieveden—Roulette, by Cheddar (imp.), with colt foal at foot by Holbrook, and served by Kensington.
LADY KING, br m (1901), by Lochiel—Lady Kingsborough, by Kingsborough, with colt foal at foot by Seal Rock, and served by him again.
BR M (1898) (sister to Nightshade), by Young Sir Hercules—Forty-four, by Cheddar (imp.), with filly foal at foot by Holbrook, and served by Kensington.
On account of the Exors. in the Estate of the late Mr. NORMAN HALL, Windsor.
BR M (3) (1902), by Positano (imp.)—Solo, by Splendor (imp.), with foal at foot by Multiform.
On account of the Exors. in the Estate of the late Mr. JOHN LEE, Karralee, Kelso.
MRS. GRUNDY (5), g m (1899) (three-quarter sister to Amberite), by Wallace—Duenna, by Lecturer, with colt foal at foot by Simmer (imp.), and served by Eagarde (imp.).
GREY MARE (5) by Grafton (imp.)—Mrs. Grundy, served by Scotland.
HELEN KING, ch m (1895), by Kinsborough—Helena, by Yattendon, with filly foal at foot by Amberite, and served by Royal Artillery.
On account of Mr. C. WHITE, CARWYNAN STUD, KELSO.
MISS CLIEVEDEN (3), br m (1890), by Clieveden—Lady Lorline, by Darebin, served by Collarit.
CANISTER (24), b m (1899), by Preston or Bundook—Lois, by Bras-de-Fer (imp.), served by Scotland.
On account of OWNER.
RECRUIT (2), br m (1902), by Pendragon—Relief, from Mana, with colt foal at foot by Projectile, and served by Sir Aymer (imp.).
LOGE (2), b m (1903), by Bundook—Snake, by Sale, served by Sir Aymer (imp.).

STALLIONS.
On account of Mr. W. BROWN.
AIZUM (imp.) (27), b h (1905), (bro. to Duke of Melton), by Melton—La Petitie Duchess, by Endurance.
SWORDFISH II. (12), bl h (1893), by Hotchkiss from Fishgirl (half-sis. to Kingfisher, Isaac Walton, Torpedo), Hippocampus, and Piscatorius), by Yattendon.
KING RUFUS (imp.) (7), b h (1906), by William Rufus (son of Melton)—Arrowroot (imp.), by Morion from Semolina (1000 guineas and three-quarter sis. to Donovan), by St. Simon.
On account of Mr. D. O'BRIEN.
MARANUI (12), b h (1904), by Malatua (son of Mahu) from Grafin (dam of Herotan, Grenade, and Heriot) (the dam of Multifid and Chamade), by Carbine.
On account of Hon. AGAR WYNNE.
CALAVERITE (21), b h (1908) (brother to Sylvanite), by Grafton (imp.)—Golddust, by Niagara, from Goldifke (dam of Klaski and Auranita), by Trenton.
On account of Mr. T. PAYTEN.
AMATI (3), br h (1906) (brother to Sivori and Ariki, and half-bro. to Nancy Stair), by Grafton (imp.)—Cello (sister to Gavotte), by Splendor (imp.).
On account of the Exors. in the Estate of the late Mr. JOHN LEE, Karralee, Kelso.
AMBERITE (5), b h (1894), by Carbine—Duenna, by Lecturer from Signora (imp.), by Newcastle, sire of Needlegun, Cato, Rose Allis, Enibrac, Kynoch, Notlin, and numerous other winners.

UNTRIED STOCK.
On account of Mr. JAS. THOMPSON, Oakleigh, Rylstone.
Twelve 2 and 3 year old Fillies and Geldings, by GRAFTON (imp.), AYR LADDIE (imp.), and KOOPAN.
On account of Messrs. HOPE OSBORNE BROTHERS, Widgeon Gully, Jugiong.
Two 2-year-old Geldings, by ARGONAUT (imp.).
On account of the Executors in the Estate of the late Mr. JAS. READFORD, Westwood, Ilford.
Four 2, 3, and 4 year old Fillies and Geldings, by AYR LADDIE (imp.), HOLBROOK, and PRUDENT KING (imp.).
On account of Owners.
Ten 2, 3, and 4 year old Fillies, Geldings, and Colts, by RIDING MASTER (imp.), HOLBROOK, DORCHESTER, RIFLEITE, MUSKETOON, and SIR TRISTRAM (imp.).

Also,
RACEHORSES IN TRAINING.

OWNERS FAVOURING US WITH THE SALE OF ANY HORSES AT THE ABOVE TIME, AND WHO HAVE NOT YET ADVISED, WILL OBLIGE BY SENDING PARTICULARS EARLY.

WILLIAM INGLIS AND SON, BLOOD STOCK SALESMEN, 244 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

TO SPORTING MEN AND OTHERS.

J. E. JAMES has been instructed to sell, at his yards, RICHMOND, on WEDNESDAY Next, March 9th, at 1.30,
On account Dr. GIBSON,
Trotting stock, known as "The Bird," "Archie," "The Hawk," "Tuxie," all by Alphonse and Tuxedo (imp.); Colt Foal and thoroughbred Mare.
On account M. J. RYAN, Esq.
That very fine Pacing Mare "Owyinda," 6 years, by Owyhee (imp.) out of Owinda, by Osterley, out of Lucretia (imp.)
On account owner.
"Tuxina," by Tuxedo (imp.), dam by San Jose Patchem. On account various owners.—Draught and Light Horses. Watch next Tuesday's issue. Full pedigrees at sale. These are worthy special attention.

MONSTER HORSE SALE.

TAMWORTH.

14th, 15th, 16th, 18th, and 19th MARCH, 1910.

1200 HEAD. 1200.

The above will positively be yarded, and comprise several consignments of Heavy and Medium Draughts from New England and other well-known breeders. In all, there will be over 600 head of Draught Horses yarded. The balance of the yarding will comprise: Active Farm Horses, Lorry, Van, and Pit Nuggets, Gunners, Wheelers, Indian Remounts, and all kinds of Saddle and Harness Horses and Ponies.

The whole of the Horses will be in splendid condition.

Handy grass paddocks available, also trucks for any buyers requiring them.

GARVIN AND COUSENS, TAMWORTH.

Buyers please note dates.

HORSES. HORSES.
HORSES. HORSES.
500 HEAD. 500

BEDFORD, TAYLOR, and WESTON, Ltd., will sell by public auction, at WELLINGTON, N.S. WALES, on WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, AND FRIDAY, 9th, 10th, and 11th MARCH,
500 HORSES. 500
comprising:—
500 SPECIALLY SELECTED HEAVY DRAUGHT COLTS AND FILLIES. Balance useful and active Farm, Team, Lorry, and Brewers' Horses, Gunners', Cab, and useful light Horses.

Catalogues and full particulars from the Auctioneers.

BEDFORD, TAYLOR, and WESTON, Ltd., Horse Salesmen, Wellington, N.S. Wales.
(Sydney Office: 35 Bligh-street.)

50 COLTS AND FILLIES. 50 COLTS AND FILLIES. DIRECT FROM THE BREEDER. (Nearly all unbroken.)

PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Ltd., under instructions from Mr. W. H. MACKAY, Timmenburra, will sell by auction at CAMPERDOWN, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 9th MARCH, at 2 p.m.,
50 Colts and Fillies, nearly all unbroken, principally 4 and 5 yrs., in excellent condition. They comprise—
9 Colts by Suffolk Punch Stallion "Foxall Prince," out of Draught Mares, a powerful, active lot.
41 Colts and Fillies (unbroken, excepting a few broken in Saddle Horses), by the Blood Stallions "Coriander," "Lord Ballady," and "Prestator," out of strong mares. These are shapely, upstanding, and have plenty of style and substance.

BUYERS WILL FIND THESE HORSES A VERY ATTRACTIVE LOT, AND WE STRONGLY RECOMMEND INSPECTION.

TO RACING MEN, INDIAN BUYERS, AND HORSEBREEDERS GENERALLY.

TURANVILLE.

18th ANNUAL SALE, (UNRESERVED), will be held at MUSWELLBROOK, on TUESDAY, MARCH 8th, 1910, at 12 o'clock NOON.

EDWARD HIGGENS, PARKINSON, and CO., Muswellbrook (in conjunction with PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Ltd.), have received instructions from THOMAS COOK, Esq., to sell by Public Auction, at MUSWELLBROOK, on above date:—
25 THOROUGHBREDS, COLTS, and FILLIES, by Merv (imp.), Invader, Hardigraft, Musketoon, Patrol, Sweet William, Famous, and Legation.

Also, about
100 INDIAN REMOUNTS, ROADSTERS, and some Handsome Pairs of COBS, and GENERAL UTILITY HORSES, 3, 4, and 5 years.

It will be noted such Sires as Merv (imp.), Invader, Patrol, Sweet William, Famous, and others are represented, while the Utility Horses will be found a remarkably superior lot, in the pink of condition, well-developed, and the Auctioneers, with the greatest confidence, recommend Buyers to attend this Sale.

CATALOGUES on application to the Auctioneers.

PLACE OF SALE:—MUSWELLBROOK, MARCH 8th, starting at noon.

BROOD MARES AND YOUNG RACING STOCK,

FOR AUCTION AT MUSWELLBROOK.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9th, at 10 a.m., (Following Turanville Sale at Muswellbrook, March 8th).

EDWARD HIGGENS, PARKINSON, and CO. have received instructions to sell the following:—
Account A. Hannam, Esq., Coreena.
1. Brown Filly, foaled 1908, by Merv (imp.) from Dorcas, by Genuma di Vergy.
2. Bay Filly (three-quarter sister to Plum), foaled 1907, by Merv (imp.) from Blue Cap, by Autonomy. Nominated for Rosehill Guineas, A.J.C. Derby and Leger.
3. Grey Gelding, foaled September 1907 (full-brother to Fitz Merv), by Merv (imp.) from Grace, by Ecuris (imp.).
4. Black Mare, foaled 1906, full-sister to Fitz Merv.
5. Brown Gelding, foaled 1907, by Musketoon from Lady Modred, by Sir Modred.
Account H. R. Flanders, Esq., Muswellbrook.
1. Rosalind, Bay Mare, foaled 1899, by Gozo from Bay Rose, stinted to Scotland.
2. Miss Morgan, Brown Mare, foaled 1902, by Havoc from Lady Morgan; foal at foot by Merv, and stinted to Merv.
3. Simper, Black Mare, foaled 1904, by Simmer from Caterina; foal at foot by Merv, and stinted to Maister.
4. Mondamo (14), Brown Mare, foaled 1900, by Lochiel from La Mode; stinted to Merv.
5. Parkville (winner of 7 races), aged, own brother to Flint and Blue Foam, by Invader from Cattarina.
Account Messrs. White Bros., Tocka Tocka.
1. Brown Filly, 4 years, sister to Dolphin, by Metal (imp.), dam by Bandmaster, by The Drummer (imp.).
2. Chestnut Gelding, 3 years, by Coopan, half-brother to above Filly.
3. Brown Gelding, 3 years, by Metal (imp.), dam Picture, by Lucan (imp.).
4. Bay Filly, by Coopan, dam Squabble, by Prodigal.
5. Bay Filly, 2 years, by Lucan (imp.), dam Judith, by Far Niente.
6. Brown Filly, 2 years, by Lucan (imp.), dam Flutter, by Prodigal.
7. Brown Gelding, 3 years, by Lucan (imp.), dam Spirit, by Far Niente.
Account Mrs. M. A. Boorer and Son, Wybong.
1. Bay Filly, rising 2 years, by Fucile from Gl., by Au Revoir.
2. Brown Colt, rising 3 years, by Hardigraft, by Grafton (imp).

Catalogues on application to the Auctioneers.

BROOD MARES AND YOUNG RACING STOCK,

FOR AUCTION AT MUSWELLBROOK.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9th, at 10 A.M. (Following Turanville Sale at Muswellbrook, March 8th).

EDWARD HIGGENS, PARKINSON, and CO., and H. CHISHOLM and CO. (in conjunction), have received instructions to sell on above date—
Account J. H. Bettington, Esq., Terragong.
12 Brood Mares, by such noted sires as Goldsbrough, True Blue, Haut Brion (imp.), Pilgrim's Progress (imp.), Lancaster, Playbill, Invader, Gang Forward, and Ruenalf; 4 have foals at foot, by Skopos (imp.) and one by Maister, while 9 have been served again by Skopos.
Bay Filly, by Machine Gun from Sweet Alice, by Gang Forward.
Account Wm. Pearse, Esq., Plashett.
4 Brood Mares, by Gainsborough, Punch Ka (Son of Musket), and Butler; 3 with foals at foot by Fucile, and 1 by Dalmeny; all served again by Fucile.
3 Fillies.
1 Colt, by Fucile.

This Sale offers a special opportunity to Breeders to secure some of the best blood in Australasia.
Catalogues on application to the Auctioneers.

HORSES, HORSES,
HEAD. 600 HEAD.

MUSWELLBROOK ANNUAL SALE.

MARCH 9th to 12th (Following Turanville Sale at Muswellbrook, March 8th).

EDWARD HIGGENS, PARKINSON, and CO. will conduct their ANNUAL SALE on above date, when 600 HORSES will be yarded, including Thoroughbred Stock, on the 9th (see Advertisement), and the following well-known Breeders and Owners will be represented:—P. J. Timbs, with 70 selected Draughts, of the right ages, which have been paddocked on the Hunter for 4 months, and are in the pink of condition; Messrs. White Bros., Edinglassie, a draft of fine, stout Ponies, by Shooting Star, Brookhampton, and Arden, and a splendid lot of young Draughts; R. H. Dangar, Neotsfield; Mrs. Macintyre, Cuan, Martindale; White Bros.; Bowman Bros., Strowan; R. Bowman, Skellatar; Gallingral Estate, and many others, in small lots.

500 are now booked, and it is expected that over 600 will be yarded.

TRUCKS ARRANGED FOR.

NOTE DATE, 9th to 12th MARCH, at MUSWELLBROOK.

250 HORSES.

MAITLAND YARDS.

TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 1910.

Included are 150 Draughts, Medium, Heavy, and Extra Heavy Colts and Fillies, 3, 4, and 5 years, all farm bred, broken and unbroken, and a number of high-class Mares.

This yarding of Draughts will be one of the best ever submitted on one day on the Northern line. Among the lots are 10 powerful Draughts, 4, 5, and 6 years, broken and unbroken, worthy of the attention of those in want of heavy shafters. From the Barrington, Gloucester, Hastings, Macleay, Hunter, Paterson, and Williams River farms.

All purchases carefully paddocked and trucked free of cost.

Guaranteed yarding 250 Horses (150 Draughts of superior quality).

Lists, giving full descriptions of all lots, will be sent on application.

J. ENRIGHT, Auctioneer.

PROSPECT, NEAR LIVERPOOL.

TUESDAY, 8th MARCH, AT 2 P.M.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE EXECUTORS OF THE LATE JAMES CLARKE.
Splendid Farm and Dairying Property, known as "CARBSLEY," situate at PROSPECT, near LIVERPOOL, fronting the COW PASTURE-ROAD, and adjoining "ABBOTSBURY," Cecil Park, and Bossley Park. 4½ miles from Cabramatta.
THE FARM COMPRISES AN AREA OF 600 ACRES OF RICH AGRICULTURAL LAND, fenced into suitable Paddocks, good Cottage Residence, Stables, Cart Sheds, Barn, Creamery, Separator, and 72 Bails. City water supply runs through the Estate.

Also:—

90 HEAD CATTLE.	1 Sulky, almost new.
30 Forward and Backward Springers.	1 Tipcart.
14 Heifers (6 to 1 year old).	25 Milking Cows.
5 Young Mares, with foal at foot. (Foals 4 to 7 months old.)	18 Heifers (1 to 2 years old).
2 Colts, by Era, Jun.	2 Pedigree Bulls.
1 Colt by Coming King.	1 Dogcart.
	1 Spring Van.
	1 Milk Waggon.

Riding Saddles and Harness, Dairy Utensils and Sundries, Massey Harris Mowing Machine and Rake (new), Cultivators, Harrows, and Farming Implements.

HUGH DUFF and CO., in conjunction with MYLES and CASHMAN, have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Estate, as above.
Drag will meet intending buyers at CARRAMATTA STATION by trains arriving from Sydney at 5 to 12, and from CAMPBELLTOWN at 25 to 12 or 11.35 a.m.
LUNCHEON PROVIDED.
J. A. I. PERRY, Esq., Solicitor to the Estate.

NEWMARKET SALEYARDS, ST. MARYS.

FRIDAY, 11th MARCH, 1910.

521 HEAD CHOICE DAIRY AND STORE CATTLE. 521

WEAVER and PERRY will sell by auction as above, at their Newmarket Saleyards, St. Marys, on FRIDAY, 11th MARCH, at 1 o'clock sharp,
521 Choice Dairy and Store Cattle comprising:—
10 Pure-bred Jersey Heifers. Pedigrees at Sale.
1 Pure-bred Jersey Bull. Pedigree at Sale.
30 Choice Dairy Cows and Heifers, forward Springers.
150 Superior Dairy Heifers, 2 years old.
100 Choice Dairy Heifers, 12 to 18 months old.
30 Pure and Grade Jersey Heifers, 2 to 3 years old.
150 Steers, 1 to 2 years old.
90 Store Cows, young and good frames and condition.

N.B.—Train leaves Sydney at 10.50 a.m. on morning of Sale. Competent drovers in attendance.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction at REDFERN STATION, THIS DAY, at 9.15, Hay, Straw, Chaff, Maize, Pumpkins, Potatoes.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction at Newtown Station THIS DAY, at 7 o'clock, Wood, etc.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction at Darling Harbour THIS DAY, at 8 o'clock. Wood, etc.

ST. AUBINS ANNUAL DRAUGHT HORSE SALE.

SCONE YARDS.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16th, 1910.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON and J. A. SIMPSON and CO., in conjunction, will sell by auction, at 10.30 a.m., on above date,
ACCOUNT W. BAKEWELL, Esq., ST. AUBINS, SCONE.
110 High-class Draught Geldings and Fillies, 3, 4, and 5 years, heavy sorts, all in tip-top condition.
40 Ponies and high-class Indian Horses.
Mr. Bakewell has always been most particular in the selection of his young draughts, buying only the best. We have inspected this lot, and can with every confidence recommend buyers to attend the sale. This is the third annual sale of the St. Aubins horses, every horse being sold at previous sales absolutely without reserve.

Also,
Account J. MOYLAN.
20 Mixed Horses.
Account W. H. BRAYSHAW.
20 Mixed Horses.
Account Owners.
50 Mixed Horses.
TERMS, CASH.

FIRST-CLASS HIGHLY IMPROVED DAIRY FARM.

CAMDEN.

TUESDAY, 8th MARCH, 1910.

W. LARKIN has received instructions from Mr. A. Moore to sell, at Camden, on TUESDAY NEXT, 8th MARCH, at 1 o'clock,

First-class Highly Improved DAIRY FARM, situate at Carrington-road, 2½ miles from Camden tram. Area, 84 acres, thoroughly cleared, securely fenced, and subdivided in convenient cultivation and grazing paddocks; permanent water. Good Weatherboard Cottage, 6 rooms, up-to-date milking shed, yards, dairy, stables, etc., all in first-class state of repair.

Terms can be arranged.

The above is an excellent little property, highly improved. Dairying has been successfully carried on for many years, and the property now comes into the market owing to the decease of a member of the family.

NOTE DATE—

TUESDAY, 8th MARCH.

HORSES, CATTLE, FARM, AND DAIRY PLANT.

SATURDAY, 12th MARCH.

"MOUNT GILEAD," CAMPBELLTOWN.

W. LARKIN has received instructions from Mr. G. Axam to sell at his residence, Mount Gilead, Campbelltown, on SATURDAY, 12th March, at 12.30,

THE WHOLE OF HIS HORSES, CATTLE, ETC., comprising—
20 First-class Horses, broken and unbroken, including 6 superior Active Draught Colts and Fillies, 2 and 3 years, 2 Suffolk Punch Yearlings, 5 good "Don" Mares with foals at foot, and stinted again; 2 well-bred Saddle and Harness Mares, broken in; good Useful Gelding; superior Mare by Leo, with foal at foot; 2 Ponies, 2 and 3 years; 1 high-class Hack and Harness Horse, 4 yrs., by Aramis, thoroughly broken and worthy special attention.
1 Superior Active Draught Mare, 6 yrs., thoroughly staunch.
123 Superior Dairy Cattle, comprising 40 well-bred young Dairy Cows, in milk; 30 selected Cows, due to calve for coming winter, all by the champion Ayrshire bull Carlyn Prince II.; 35 superior Dairy Heifers, 1 to 3 yrs., by high-class milking Shorthorn bull; 11 Steers and Heifer Calves; 2 young Jersey and Holstein bulls; 1 very choice Ayrshire bull, 1 year 9 months, by Rex of Coolangatta, from a pure Jarvisfield Cow, a prize-winner.
1 Superior Roan Durham Bull, bred by Mr. Gibson, of Unanderra.
Farming Plant, Vehicles, Harness, Dairy Plant, Furniture, and numerous Sundries.

SPECIAL ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO ABOVE SALE.

Mr. Axam has been a noted breeder for many years.

The Stock are a well-bred lot, and the plant generally is in good order.

The Property has been sold, and Mr. Axam is now selling his stock, etc., right out.

Trains leave Sydney at 8 and 9.45 on Morning of Sale, returning same evening.

NOTE DATE, SATURDAY, 12th MARCH.

BLACKTOWN CATTLE SALE.
SATURDAY, 12th MARCH, AT 1.30 P.M.
700 HEAD. 700.

A. McILREE and CO. will hold their USUAL MONTHLY AUCTION SALE, in their BLACKTOWN YARDS, as above, when from advices already received they will yard,
On account of the TRUSTEES in the Estate of the late J. T. GOSPER, for UNRESERVED SALE.
50 Bullocks, 3 and 4 years old, good lot, in good condition.
50 Steers, 2 and 2½ years old.
1-200 Mixed Cattle, comprising choice Dairy Heifers, Springers, Store Cows, and young Mixed Steers and Heifers.
Also, on account of Owners
100 Steers, 2 to 3 years, good colours, and in good condition.
100 Steers, 18 months to 2 years, nice lot, in good condition.
50 Heifers, 2½ years, good colours, Major Durham Bulls joined.
30 Good Store Cows.
70 young Mixed Cattle, principally young Steers and heifers.
50 Choice Dairy Heifers, 9 to 18 months old.
15 choice Springing Heifers.
45 Extra Good Heifers, 3 years, reds and roans, in fat condition, and well in calf.
NOTE.—Cattle will be carefully classed, and sold in lots to suit purchasers.
Reliable drovers in attendance.
Cattle Waggons can be secured at store rates for country buyers. Good paddocks available.
Trains leave Sydney for Blacktown morning of Sale at 10.20 and 12.25. Frequent return service.

JERSEY HEIFERS.

HANDY SYDNEY.

50 CHOICE JERSEY and JERSEY CROSS HEIFERS, 18 months to 2½ years, picked lot Jersey Bulls joined, the oldest heifers showing well in calf. Recommend, £3 13s 6d all round.
Apply
A. McILREE and CO., 56 Hunter-street.

THURSDAY, 10th MARCH,

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK SHARP.

EXTENSIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION,

AT OUR SALEROOMS, 56 YORK-STREET.

Under instructions from THE IMPORTERS, AGENTS, AND ALSO TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS IN AN ASSIGNED ESTATE.

A Large Quantity of BOOTS AND SHOES, Comprising a Large Assortment of MEN'S, WOMEN'S, and CHILDREN'S, IN VARIOUS MAKES AND SIZES, AND LATEST SHAPES.

WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

DEAN AND CO (D. H. VALANTINE, AUCTIONEER), GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 56 YORK-STREET.
TELEPHONE, CITY 2817.

FRIDAY, 11th MARCH,

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK SHARP.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION,

AT OUR SALEROOMS, 56 YORK-STREET.

OF BUILDERS' AND GENERAL IRONMONGERY.

ABOUT 3 TONS CUT NAILS.
10 CS. LAMP GLASSES, ea. 50 dozen.
20 CS. QUART INK, ASSORTED.
25 CS. SHEARERS' HONES.
ABOUT 50 DOZ. ASSORTED CHISELS.

And a Quantity of COACHBUILDERS' MATERIAL.

ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.

DEAN AND CO. (D. H. VALANTINE, AUCTIONEER), GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 56 YORK-STREET.
TELEPHONE, CITY 2817.

FRIDAY, 11th MARCH,

AT HALF-PAST TWO O'CLOCK.

ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

AT THE STORES OF MESSRS. N. GUTHRIDGE, LTD., 10 GEORGE-STREET, CAMPERDOWN, Right Opposite the University Grounds.

A Quantity of MACHINERY, being the Balance of a MINING PLANT, consisting of:—
Soho Engine, 5-h.p.; 1¼in Rotary Pump, Rockbenter, Boiler, Vacuum Pump, Steam Winch, Shafting, Pulleys, Bearings, and Sundries.
INTENDING BUYERS WILL PLEASE OBTAIN AN ORDER OF INSPECTION FROM THE AUCTIONEERS.

ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.

DEAN AND CO. (D. H. VALANTINE, AUCTIONEER), GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 56 YORK-STREET.
TELEPHONE, CITY 2817.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16,

AT OUR SALEROOMS, 56 YORK-STREET.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, of
10-12 H.P. DARRACQ MOTOR CAR, DOUBLE CYLINDER, MAGNETO, and ACCUMULATOR IGNITION, SIDE-ENTRANCE BODY, SEATING FIVE, FOLDING CAPE, NICELY FURNISHED, HOOD, LAMP, TOOLS, AND ALL ACCESSORIES.

ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

THE CAR HAS ONLY BEEN USED SIX MONTHS. Full particulars in later Advertisements.

DEAN AND CO. (D. H. VALANTINE, AUCTIONEER), GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 56 YORK-STREET.
TELEPHONE, CITY 2817.

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AUCTION SALES.

TUESDAY, MARCH 8, 1910,
AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.
FOR POSITIVE SALE BY AUCTION,
AT THE MART,
124, 126, and 128 CASTLEREAGH-ST.
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
WITHOUT ANY RESERVE,
WITH ALL FAULTS.
Ex PENRHYN CASTLE.

E over JK, various numbers.

8 CASES SALTER'S SAD IRONS, Nos. 6, 7, and 8, each 6cwt.
1 CASE SIDEBOTHAM'S RABBIT TRAPS and CHAINS, A quality, 12 dozen.
1 CASE GAS BOILERS, 9 dozen, Nos. 1, 2, and 3.
1 CASE SCREWJACKS, 18; 3, 4, 5, 6, and 8 tons.
1 CASK (12 dozen) RAT TRAPS, 3½ doz. Dog Traps.
1 CASES, contg. 2 CORNCRUSHERS, No. 1.
5 CASES DAY AND MARTIN'S BLACKING, each 60 doz. tins.
1 CASE FLOOR CLAMPS.
6 CASES PITCH, in 2lb Boxes.
1 CASE, containing 3 KNIFE-CLEANING MACHINES.
1 CASK TAILOR'S GEESE, 25; Nos. 12 to 20.
1 CASE OBLONG TIN BAKE PANS, 30 dozen, 10 to 18 inches.
1 CASK HOOK AND EYE HINGES, 100 pairs, 12 and 18 inches.
1 CASE SKELTON'S L.H. S.M. SHOVELS, No. 2.
1 CASE PARKES' D.H. S.M. SHOVELS, No. 4.
1 CASK RUSSIAN GLUE.
1 CASE DUPLEX CHIMNEYS, 50 dozen.

FG and Co. in Diamond.

1 CASE PARKES' L.H. SHOVELS, 12 dozen.
4 CASES STEPHEN'S INKS, each 12 dozen.

C.H. R.M. over Sydney, in Cross, Nos. 1-20.

20 CASES GELATINE, each 1cwt.

JT and Co. over 2321 in Diamond, No. 672.

1 CASK GELATINE.

DM and Co. in Diamond.

8 TANKS EPSOM SALTS, each containing 336 1lb boxes, 1oz packets.

McL.&S. outside Diamond.

22 CASES MORTON'S HERRINGS, in Sauce, 1lb and ½lb.
22 CASES DITTO KIPPERED HERRINGS, 1lb and ½lb.
21 CASES DITTO FRESH HERRINGS, 1lb and ½lb.
2 CASES DITTO SMOKED HADDOCKS, 1lb.
1 CASE DITTO FINDON HADDOCKS, 1lb.
9 CASES C. AND B. MALT VINEGAR, each 3 dozen.

FED, various numbers.

9 CASES SARDINES, in Mustard.
6 CASES SARDINES, Soused.
7 CASES SPINACH.
Also,
21 PIECES GREEN AMERICAN DUCK, 54 inches.
10 PIECES DITTO ENGLISH DUCK, 50 inches.
10 BOXES PLUSH, each 50 yards, 24-inch.

6000 GENUINE TURKISH CIGARETTES.

1 CASE AMERICAN ELECTROPLATE TEAPOTS, Plain and Engraved; Serviette Rings, and Children's Sets.

S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY will SELL as above, Without Reserve, ON TUESDAY NEXT, AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.

WEDNESDAY, 9th MARCH, 1910,
AT 11 A.M. SHARP.
FOR POSITIVE SALE BY AUCTION,
WITHOUT ANY RESERVE,
AT THE TELEGRAPH CONSTRUCTION BRANCH, BUCKLE'S YARD, ABATTOIRS-ROAD.
Under instructions from
THE DEPUTY POSTMASTER-GENERAL,
80 TONS IRON AND STEEL WIRE,
4 to 14 gauge
(quantity more or less).
INSPECTION ORDERS OBTAINABLE ON APPLICATION.

S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY have been instructed by the DEPUTY POSTMASTER-GENERAL to SELL the above, WITHOUT RESERVE,
AT THE TELEGRAPH CONSTRUCTION BRANCH, BUCKLE'S YARD, ABATTOIRS-ROAD,
ON WEDNESDAY NEXT, AT 11 A.M. SHARP.

WEDNESDAY, 9th MARCH, AT 11.30.
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION,
ON THE PREMISES, 211 PITT-STREET.
Under instructions from
MESSRS. STARKEY and STARKEY,
Chartered Accountants, in the Assigned Estate of JOHN CUTLER.
THE WHOLE OF
THE TAILORING STOCK
SERGES, TWEEDS, WOOLLENS, VESTINGS, TRIMMINGS, LININGS,
OFFICE FURNITURE,
COUNTERS, FIXTURES, GLASS PARTITIONS, Etc., Etc.

S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY will SELL the above, WITHOUT RESERVE,
ON THE PREMISES, 211 PITT-STREET,
ON WEDNESDAY NEXT, AT 11.30.

FRIDAY, 11th MARCH, 1910,
AT 11.30 SHARP.
POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
at
PARBURY'S WHARF, MILLER'S POINT.
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,
WITH ALL FAULTS,
EX PENRHYN CASTLE.
W.B.L., in diamond,
1200 CASKS PORTLAND CEMENT,
D.M. and Co., in diamond.
137 CASKS GOSTLING'S WHITING.
THE WHOLE OF THE ABOVE will be open for inspection on FRIDAY MORNING, and will be OFFERED IN LOTS.

S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY will SELL as above.

UNREDEEMED PLEDGES.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 247A Pitt-street, on MONDAY, March 14th, 1910, the UNREDEEMED PLEDGES pawned with SAMUEL JOSEPH, Mont de Piete, 4 Flinders-street, Darlinghurst, on dates as under:—
1909.—March—4th, g bamboo bangle; 10th, necklet and pendt. April—1st, g stone brch; 7th, spk and red stone ring; 12th, g link albert; 21st, s s dia and g fcy rings; 28th, sil bam bangle and chn bangle. May—1st, g w ring, sugar basin and pickle jar, two salt cellars, g fcy bangle, p pendt; 12th, spark ring, stone pin, and coin brch; 13th, blk silk dress; 15th, g red stone ring, pr g s links and three-stone ring, sil fork and spoon (in case); 18th, gilt h k waltham 508872; 21st, g chn bangle; 22nd, 1 g k h watch 150925, g necklet and heart; 28th, three g fcy brchs, g cross and pearl and stone butterfly clasp; 29th, g band ring (A.B.), spark and stone band ring; 31st, sil hhtg lever 763389 and gilt albert, dia and stone chn bangle and dia and stone ass brch (in case). June—1st, 1 sil watch (in strap) (A.F.); 5th, mid amer svgs, three-stone b ring, sil h lever 109245, or pince-nez (in case); 7th, two war medals; 9th, two-stone dia ring; 10th, g w ring, 1 sil watch 424375; 21th, g am and pearl bangle; 19th, s s dia and sapp ring and marq opal ring; 14th, g b ring (Love); 16th, r g h k elgin 12944437; 16th, g pendt and necklet; 17th, three-stone ruby ring; 19th, pearl and ruby bracelet, s h walt 2570573; 23rd, long g link, m chain; 24th, g necklet; 28th, five blue stone ring; 29th, five-st h b ring; 30th, gilt h k wtch 7475273, sil albt and lkt, o f w and ch (A.F., O.R.), 1 g h k w 134165. July—3rd, two g fcy stone brches; 5th, g med tusk, brch; 7th, sm dia clus ring (dia missing); 10th, g s chain and p pendt, sil h k watch 798771, g link, albert, and sil m box; 12th, g w ring; 13th, two g n s bangles; 16th, fruit forks and knives (in case); 17th, n s bangle, and s s dia ring, and g curb; 20th, g mug brch; 22nd, turq and chn eargs and brch, 1 g h k watch 129434; 23rd, g bangle (stone out); 24th, pearl and coral brch, pearl and ruby wish brch, pr g s links, g w ring; 27th, s h w walt 4612959, g w and b ring; 29th, dia and stone drem ring, and fish brch; 31st, 1 s h k watch 158995, turq pin, necklet, and pendt, g cross, and cuam brclet, bla voile skirt, s s pearl ring, g stone ring, pr tan lace shoes. August—3rd, g stone ring, g fcy brch, g brch (Baby), g pin, g stone ring, s h k watch 1900782; 6th, pt g curb brclet, g k ring, and g necklet, two w t cloths, g demi-htg watch 311332, bag, purse, and m chain; 6th, g h k chron 1997 (JGF); 7th, rose dia and ruby dress ring, e p teapot, pearl and moon ring (pr) out); 9th, pt m chain (AF), eight-day clock, sm s s dia brch, g w ring, fcy ring, and g stone brch, r g h k walt 7896888; 10th, e p mirror and brush, cream dress; 22th, glad bag; 13th, g curb pdlk brclet; 14th, long g m chain; 18th, rose dia ruby and em pin; 19th, brn striped suit; 21st, nine knives, twelve spoons, and six forks, glad bag; 28th, mus dress, brn dress, and flow dress; 30th, 1-doz. t spoons, tongs, and two knives (in case). September—1st, sil trophy, and e p spoons (in case); 3rd, kit bag, and pr blk rom shoes; 4th, blk voile skirt, quilt, two sheets, and p slips; 6th, two h c quilts, and blkt (in hamper), blk sil skirt, blk skirt, pink blse, and pr blk lace shoes; 9th, two w p coats, pyjama suit, singlet, and 7 pieces cutlery; 10th, blk skirt, silo bed, and kcks; 13th, w p coat, dress, and 2 cha dresses; 14th, camera and telescope; 15th, serge e and vest; 17th, dk str trous and pr lady's blk lace shoes, blk silk dress; 18th, blk and wine silk dress, rensts, cush cover and tray, brown suit and fcy vest, chem, kcks, skirt, blk silk blse, and petticoat (in hamper); 21st, twelve records (in brief bag), dk suit; 24th, blue and white shawls; 29th, two hat boxes, glad bag and contents (in box); 30th, blk silk skirt. Oct.—5th, kit bag, blk silk blse, blk silk dress, pr tailor's shears, striped coat, shirt, and s hat; 8th, 8 sheets, 10 slips, 8 covers, m quilt, and bed cover (in basket), n b dust cloak; 14th, 5 fiette n gowns and blkt (in glad bag); 15th, blue s petticoat and w blse; 16th, rainproof coat and a razor, assid cutlery, doylies; 21st, serge co, vest; 22nd, blue strpd costume; 28th, kit bag; 29th, blk silk blse. Nov.—5th, boy's s suit; 8th, blk p skirt; 10th, kit tools (in kit bag); 11th, light tweed suit; 13th, blue serge and silk remts, betting bag; 15th, dk twd co, vest; 16th, pr velvet curtains; 17th, violin and bow (in case); 18th, serge coat; 20th, blk p serge skirt; 22nd, brn stpd suit; 23nd, kit bag and gem phonograph 287023. Also Pledges on which the sum of 5s and under has been lent; also goods which were previously advertised, and kept back by request of pawners. No interest taken morning of sale.
S. JOSEPH.

DEPENDABLE Remington Typewriter, No. 7, second-hand, £10. Cash or terms. Stott, Hoare, Moore-st.

ELIZABETH BAY.
WEDNESDAY, 9th MARCH,
AT 11 A.M. SHARP.
MOST IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT
to
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN
Furnishing in Good Taste,
ART CONNOISSEURS, AND OTHERS.
ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE,
BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
at the Residence of
A. BLASHKI, Esq.,
CHESTER,
86 ELIZABETH BAY-ROAD,
opposite the Recreation Oval,
of the whole of his
HIGH-CLASS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
PIANO, WORKS OF ART, AND APPOINTMENTS
(as set forth in Descriptive Catalogue).

A Few of the MOST IMPORTANT LINES are as follow:—
PART VERY FINE SUITE BACCARAT GLASSWARE.
MAGNIFICENT CENTRE FRUIT AND FLOWER STAND, fitted with heavily cut glass dishes, on highly embossed stand.
ELEGANT REVOLVING BREAKFAST DISH, fitted with Movable Dish and Strainer. Walker and Hall.
A SET OF TWO OBLONG ENTREE DISHES, forming four, with removable handle, in best quality plate.
A PAIR OF VALUABLE VENETIAN GLASS VASES, heavily overlaid in Gold Birds and Floral Decorations on Rustic Bronze Stands.
MAGNIFICENT AMERICAN WALNUT CABINET BOOKCASE, the top arranged with bevelled plate-glass doors to enclosed cupboards and open recesses; the underpart fitted with mirror backs to enclosed cupboards and bevelled plateglass doors and drawers. Made specially to Mr. Blashki's order.
A PAIR OF CONTINENTAL BRONZES, "Shakespeare and Tasso."
MAGNIFICENT OVERMANTEL, in solid Rosewood and Marqueterie, fitted with large bevelled centre and side bevelled mirrors, two bracket shelves to match Cabinet.
A PAIR OF VALUABLE CAPO DI MONTE JUG-SHAPED VASES, embellished with Cupids and Allegorical Figures, in bold relief.
A SUPERB DRAWING-ROOM CABINET, in Rosewood and Marqueterie; the back arranged with large bevelled centre mirror, double mirrors to bracket shelves, and inlaid panels; the underpart with bevelled plateglass doors, open recesses, and drawers; size 5 feet.
A PAIR OF RARE AND VALUABLE OLD CHINA VASES, beautifully enriched with panels of figures and landscapes, heavily overlaid in gold. Formerly in the collection of the late Terry Hughes, Esq.
VERY CHOICE BUDAPEST JUG-SHAPE VASE.
A BUDAPEST VASE OF QUAINT DESIGN, with pierced cut handles and heavy gold butterfly and floral decorations.
VALUABLE UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTE, in Ebonised case, by the world-renowned makers, STEINWAY AND SONS, PATENT, NEW YORK. A very fine toned instrument, and one that can be recommended with confidence.
A PAIR OF VERY CHOICE INLAID AMBOYNA ARM OCCASIONAL CHAIRS, upholstered in delicate blue figured silk.
HANDSOME SETTEE SUITE, in rosewood and marqueterie, comprising settee, upholstered in pink figured silk, and pair of arm chairs to match.
DRESDEN CHINA GROUP—"The Bridge Players."
A PAIR OF VERY CHOICE FAIENCE WARE FIGURES—"The Young Italian Troubadours," on enamelled and plush pedestals. Life size.
A SOLID AMERICAN WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE, consisting of LARGE BREAKFRONT WARDROBE, constructed with centre enclosed cupboard, open recess, with mirror back and drawers, two bevelled plate glass mirror doors to hanging compartments, size 7ft; FULL PEDESTAL DRESSING TABLE, with large bevelled swing mirror, side mirrors to bracket shelves, jewel drawers and nine drawers under, size 5ft; THE WASHSTAND, arranged with rouge royal marble top, high tiled and mirror back, cupboards and drawers, size 4ft 6in; Pedestal Cupboard, with mirror back, towel rail and two chairs.
VERY HANDSOME DOULTON CHINA TOILET SERVICE, decorated in Iris lilies, and heavily overlaid in gold.
HANDSOME FRENCH HANGING CLOCK, blue enamel on gold, fine timekeeper.
ELEGANT ITALIAN TOP HALF TESTER BEDSTEAD, 6ft 6in by 5ft, with solid brass footrail, fitted with sanitary woven wire mattress, best horsehair mattress, four feather pillows, and mosquito curtains.
STERLING SILVER DRESSING TABLE SET, of hand mirror, 2 hair and 3 clothes brushes.
SPLENDID WALNUT FIVE-DRAWER CHEST.
VALUABLE COLLECTION PAINTINGS,
in Oils and Water Colours, including Paintings after Rembrandt and Sir Joshua Reynolds.
SEVERAL CHOICE WATER COLOURS,
by Thos. Pyne, Henri Tibbit, Tom Roberts, J. McComas, A. T. Dores, and others.
MAGNIFICENT WRITING ESCRETOIRE and Bureau, fitted with numerous drawers and open recesses.
WALNUT DROPHEAD SEWING MACHINE, by the Singer Manufacturing Co.
HANNAM'S COPPER BATH HEATER,
LARGE RALEIGH GAS STOVE,
JACK FROST REFRIGERATOR,
ARMOURED HOSE AND SPRINKLER,
and a large
QUANTITY OF GENERAL EFFECTS.

WALTER BRADLEY AND CO. have been favoured with instructions from A. BLASHKI, Esq., to conduct the above sale, in consequence of his departure for England.
ON VIEW TUESDAY NEXT, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
CATALOGUE obtainable from the Auctioneers, 284 George-street.

MOSMAN'S.
MONDAY, 7th MARCH,
at 11 a.m.
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
of
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO,
and General Appointments, at
CAMELOT, SPIT-ROAD,
MIDDLE HARBOUR.
Under Positive Instructions to
SELL WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST RESERVE,
from
A. C. HOLLINGWORTH, Esq.,
in consequence of his immediate departure for England, and his appointment as Manager A.M.P. Society, London.

WALTER BRADLEY AND CO. have received instructions from A. C. Hollingworth, Esq., to conduct the above sale.
ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE.

MONDAY NEXT, AT 11 A.M. SHARP,
on the Premises,
128 WILLOUGHBY-ROAD, NORTH SYDNEY.
STOCK-IN-TRADE OF A GROCER,
Comprising:—
PICKLES, SAUCES, VINEGAR, SOAPS, TEAS, COCOA, CANDLES, JAMS, FLOUR, BISCUITS, TINNED FISH, PRESERVES, SCALES AND WEIGHTS, CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE, ICE CHEST, HORSE AND HARNESS,
Quantity of Sundries.

BARNARD AND CO., instructed by A. PETERSEN and SON, will sell by auction, as above, POSITIVELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
Auctioneers' Offices and Mart: 140 Castlereagh-street.

WOOLLAHRA, BONDI JUNCTION.
THURSDAY NEXT, MARCH 10th INST.
Commencing at 11 a.m. sharp.
Under instructions received from HARRIS SKINNER, Esq., who has removed from the district, and has relinquished housekeeping.
The Whole of the
VALUABLE FURNITURE AND ART COLLECTION
contained in
"THE BUNGALOW," GROSVENOR-STREET.
Including:—
COMPLETE DINING-ROOM SUITE, IN ENGLISH OAK,
16 pieces, comprising:
6ft Sideboard, 8ft 6in Bookcase, Extending Table, 6 Dining and 2 Easy Chairs, Couch, Overmantel, Dinner Waggon, and 2 Cabinets.
COMBINATION BILLIARD AND DINING TABLE.
Sandown Race Game, Puff Billiards.
A very fine collection of
STERLING SILVER ELECTRO-PLATE.
VALUABLE PAINTINGS AND RARE ORNAMENTS.
Wilton Pile and Royal Axminster Carpets.
GENUINE SHERATON CHINA CABINETS.
Chippendale and Mahogany Occasional Furniture.
WALNUT SADDLEBAG DIVAN SUITE.
VALUABLE UPRIGHT GRAND PIANO,
in figured Walnut Case, a perfect instrument of modern construction, and possessing all the latest improvements.
METROSTYLE PIANOLA, WITH MUSIC.
NEW GRAMAPHONE, WITH OPERATIC SELECTIONS.
THE BEDROOM FURNITURE
includes
MASSIVE WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE.
Inlaid with Burr Panels, 6ft Wardrobe, and full Cabinet Cheval Toilets.
ALL-BRASS STATE BEDSTEAD OF ITALIAN DESIGN, furnished with Woven-wire Mattress and best quality Kapok Bedding.
SOLID WALNUT 4ft 6in BEDROOM SUITE.
THE FURNISHINGS OF MINOR BEDROOMS.
Kitchen, Household and Laundry Requisites.
LAWN MOWER, GARDEN HOSE, GARDEN TOOLS.
16-20 H.P. CLEMENT TALBOT CAR,
four-cylinder, with Screen and Cape Hood.
COMPLETE ELECTRIC LIGHT INSTALLATION,
Including
KEIGHLEY'S 4-H.P. GAS AND OIL ENGINE.
BYNG HAWKINS DYNAMO AND ALL ACCESSORIES.
BARNES LATHE, TOOLS, AND SUNDRIES,
as set out and described in
BOOK CATALOGUES, which are now ready and can be obtained from the Auctioneers, or will be posted upon application.
THE FREEHOLD OF THE BUNGALOW
will be submitted to auction
AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON.
Particulars in Property Column of this Issue.
*** INSPECTION NEXT WEDNESDAY, FROM 11 A.M.

BARNARD AND CO. will sell by auction, as above, POSITIVELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
Auc. Office: 140 Castlereagh-street. 'Phone, 2778.

MONDAY NEXT, AT 11 O'CLOCK.
TO PRIVATE BUYERS, DEALERS, AND OTHERS.
J. RUSSELL JONES has received instructions from the N.S.W. MONT DE PIETE D. AND I. CO., Ltd., to sell by auction, on their Premises,
74 CASTLEREAGH-STREET,
ALL THE UNREDEEMED PLEDGES, as advertised in this paper of the 2nd instant, consisting of English, American and Geneva Gold and Silver Watches, Single-stone and Half-hoop Diamond Rings, Bangles, Brooches, Alberts, etc.
TERMS CASH.

THIS DAY, AT 2.30,
at 170 GEORGE-ST WEST, opp. St. Barnabas Church.
MIDDLETON and CO. sell by auction, 45 Lengths various sizes new Oilcloths and Linoleums, 2 Plateglass Carved Sideboards, Large Chest of Drawers, Handsome Bedsteads and Bedding, Bedroom Suite, Tables, Chairs, Washstands, Cutlery, Pictures, etc.
NO RESERVE.

WEDNESDAY, 9th MARCH,
at the CITY MART, 8 SPRING-STREET,
at 11.30 a.m.
BY ORDER OF THE AGENTS.
THE CLAYTON PATENT FIRE EXTINGUISHING AND DISINFECTING MACHINE.
1. Prevents and Extinguishes Fire.
2. Fumigates and Disinfects Cargo WITHOUT DAMAGING IT.
3. Exterminates all vermin, killing them OUTSIDE THEIR HOLES.
ADVANTAGES OVER OTHER METHODS:—
Efficiency and Quickness in Action.
Simplicity, Safety, and Economy.
Dry Gas, and consequently no damage to dry cargo.
DESCRIPTION.—The apparatus mainly consists of a combustion chamber for generating sulphur dioxide gas, a cooling chamber, a blower or fan to force the gas into the ship's hold, and a high-speed engine to drive the blower.
The above can be inspected at our Rooms.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO., LTD., will sell by auction the above.

WEDNESDAY, 9th MARCH,
at the CITY MART, 8 SPRING-STREET,
at 11.30 a.m.
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,
WITH ALL FAULTS.
IN BOND.
Ex "PENRHYN CASTLE."
WSL-Y in Diamond.

75 Kegs CHAMPION'S GENUINE WHITELEAD.
8 Wood Kegs CHAMPION'S GENUINE WHITELEAD.

RH&CO JN Diamond over Sydney.

20 Cases POWDERED BORAX,
each 1cwt.
JT&CO, in Diamond, No. 671.

1 Cask (SHEET) GELATINE.

A D in Diamond over C.

1 Case SUPER EXTRA THICK GELATINE.
4 Kegs EPSOM SALTS.
1 Cask FERRI CARB. PRECIP.
1 Keg LAPIS CALAMIN.

No. 50. 1 Case DOUBLE FOOLSCAP, 24lb. Extra Super Tub. Sized Cream Wove.
51/2. 2 Cases DOUBLE FOOLSCAP, 24lb. Blue Wove.

GR in Diamond S outside.

2 Bales TWINE.
8 Chests INDIAN BROKEN PEKOE.

CONDUCT PIPE AND FITTINGS.
286 Lengths ¾in, 1in Conduct Pipe.
1919 Lengths ¾in, ⅞in, 1in, 1¼in Tees.
1614 Lengths ¾in, ⅞in, 1in, 1¼in Bends.
771 Lengths ⅝in, ¾in, 1in, 1¼in Elbows.
981 Lengths ⅝in, ¾in, ⅞in, 1in, 1¼in sockets.
30 Feet Casing and Cover.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO., LTD., have received instructions to sell by auction the above.

THURSDAY, 10th MARCH,
at the
CITY MART, 8 SPRING-STREET,
at 12 noon sharp.
Under instructions from the Importers,
Messrs. THOMPSON, FRASER, RAMSAY PROP., Ltd.
500 PACKAGES CEYLON TEAS
and
200 PACKAGES INDIAN TEAS.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO., LTD., will sell by auction the above.

FRIDAY, 11th MARCH,
at DALGETY'S NEW BOND, MILLER'S POINT,
at 11 a.m.
By order of the Consignees.
30 Tons FLEXIBLE STEEL WIRE ROPE,
1¼ to 3½ inches.
Orders for inspection can be obtained at our Rooms.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO., LTD., will sell by auction the above.

RANDWICK.
IMPORTANT UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE,
on
MONDAY NEXT, 7th MARCH,
AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M. SHARP.
Under instructions from Mrs. BURKE,
at her Residence,
MOLDAVIA,
AVOCA-STREET, Opp. Public School, RANDWICK.
ARTISTIC MODERN FURNITURE
and
GENERAL HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS,
Including:—
Glass, China, and Electroplate Table Appointments.
ROYAL AXMINSTER CARPETS and RUGS, practically New and in Latest Colours and Designs.
QUANTITY AI LINOLEUM, Planned to Extensive Hall and Numerous Rooms.
ARTISTIC SOLID OAK HALLSTAND.
LATEST SINGER SEWING MACHINE.
HANDSOME DRAWING-ROOM FURNISHINGS, IN ELEGANT CHIPPENDALE STYLE,
comprising:—
OCCASIONAL DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, Richly Upholstered in Figured Silk.
ELEGANT CHINA CABINET, Beautifully Designed and Constructed for Display of Fine China.
MAGNIFICENT OVERMANTEL, MUSIC CABINET, CENTRE and OCCASIONAL and SIDE TABLES.
ARTISTIC BLACK MARBLE 8-DAY CLOCK.
Jardinieres, Choice Ornaments, Vases, Pictures.
SCHIEDMAYER SEMI-GRAND PIANO,
in Ebonised Case, possessing Full Rich Tone.
HANDSOME CHIPPENDALE BEDROOM SUITE, Artistic Design, and Commodiously Constructed, comprising 6ft Wardrobe, Dressing Cabinet, Washstand, Chairs, T. Rail, etc.
LADY'S CHIPPENDALE WRITING DESK.
MASSIVE ALL-BRASS BEDSTEAD,
Size 4ft 6, Italian Design, with Superior Woven Wire Mattress and Bedding complete.
FURNISHINGS OF MINOR BEDROOMS,
comprising:—
Wardrobes, Dressing Chests, Washstands, T. Sets.
SUPERIOR SINGLE BEDSTEADS AND BEDDING.
Quantity Blankets, Quilts, Sheets, House Linen.
HANDSOME CARVED 5ft SIDEBOARD,
MASSIVE EXTENSION 8ft TABLE,
DINING-ROOM SUITE IN PANTASOTE.
THREE-TIER DINNER WAGGON.
KITCHEN DRESSER, WITH SLIDING DOORS.
TABLES, CHAIRS, UTENSILS, Etc.
ST. BERNARD DOG, PRIZE POULTRY.
THE AUCTIONEER BEGS TO ANNOUNCE that Catalogues could not be prepared owing to short notice of Sale.
WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

HARRY LAWSON, AUCTIONEER,
ONLY ADDRESS:
12 POST OFFICE-CHAMBERS,
OPP. G.P.O., PITT-STREET. TEL., 1367.

IMPORTANT PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
MOSMAN.
ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE,
on
WEDNESDAY, 16th MARCH,
AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.
Under instructions from Mrs. ROHDE,
at her Residence,
TIVOLI,
SPIT-ROAD, MOSMAN.
SUPERIOR FURNITURE
and
COSTLY HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS,
including:—
VOGEL SEMI-GRAND PIANO.
VALUABLE PICTURES, FINE CHINA, Etc.
FULL PARTICULARS in later advertisements.
CATALOGUES in course of preparation.

HARRY LAWSON, AUCTIONEER,
ONLY ADDRESS:
12 POST OFFICE-CHAMBERS,
OPP. G.P.O., PITT-STREET. TEL., 1367.
Also,
THE RESIDENCE, TIVOLI, and SIX ALLOTMENTS, with Frontages to Spit-road.

AUCTION SALE.
THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON, AT 2.30.
NORTH SYDNEY.
CAMERRA, GRANTHAM-STREET,
off Willoughby-street.
USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
Austrian Chairs, Sideboard.
China, Glass, Ornaments, and Pictures.
THE FURNISHINGS OF 5 BEDROOMS.
Kitchen Requisites.
NO RESERVE.

H. Y. NORTON, AUCTIONEER.
746, Telephone.
THIS DAY, SATURDAY,
at 3 p.m.,
AT 180 ENMORE-ROAD, ENMORE.
THE CONTENTS OF A 6-ROOMED HOUSE,
comprising—
2 BEDROOM SUITES, DRAWING and DINING ROOM SUITES.
Solid Cedar Wardrobe, Comb. Chests, Sideboard, Glass-door Dressers, Kit. and Dining Tables, Aust. Chairs, Pictures, Ornaments, Glassware, Wicker Chairs, Linoleums, Carpets, large Oak Ice Chest, Counters, Large Shelving, with mirrored back, Eureka Gas Stove.
ALSO, QUANTITY GROCERIES.
ABSOLUTELY NO RESERVE.

EVANS AND CO., AUCTIONEERS AND VALUATORS.
THIS DAY, SATURDAY, AT 3 P.M.
At Wendover, Clanwilliam-street, Willoughby.
(Leave McMahon's Point tram at Penshurst-street.)
THE WHOLE OF THE FURNISHINGS OF 6-ROOMED VILLA, Drawing-room Suite, Bev. Glass Sideboard, Overmantels, Carpets, Lino, Gramophone and Records, Pictures, Singer Cabinet Sewing Machine, B. M. Bedsteads, Cots, Wardrobes, Toilets, Ware, 6 Drawers, Combinations, Glassware, Electroplate, Cutlery, Linen, etc., etc. 50 head of POULTRY.

MITCHELL AND CRANSTON.

N. THIS DAY, at 2.30, at 16 OXFORD-SQUARE. RUMBSEN will sell,—Clothing, Furniture, E.P. Ware, Crockery, Kitchen Utensils, Sundries.
NO RESERVE.

THIS DAY, at 11 a.m.,
at 365 PITT-STREET.
HENRY WOOLF will sell Unredeemed Pledges, Job Lines and Samples.

THE SYDNEY MAIL
THE ILLUSTRATIONS DEPICT CURRENT EVENTS in Australasia and abroad, and are drawn and engraved by the best local artists.

AUCTIONEERS' SPECIAL NOTICE.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE,
FINE ART, FURNITURE, AND GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,
128-130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.

AUCTION SALES OF FURNITURE, PIANOS, SILVERPLATE, PICTURES, AND GENERAL HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS HELD IN THE MART EVERY FRIDAY AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.

OUTDOOR SALES BY AUCTION, CONDUCTED BY THE PRINCIPALS IN THE CITY, SUBURBS, and ANY PART OF THE STATE.

VALUATION AND INVENTORIES MADE FOR PROBATE, FAMILY DIVISION, and OTHER PURPOSES.

PRIVATE COMMISSION SALE ROOMS.
EXTENSIVE PRIVATE SALE ROOMS (First and Second Floors), WHERE WE RECEIVE AND SELL ON COMMISSION SUPERIOR FURNITURE, PIANOS, SILVERPLATE, PICTURES, WORKS OF ART, and GENERAL HOUSEHOLD REQUISITES.

TELEPHONE, 2056 CENTRAL.

BONDI.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION,
WITHOUT ANY RESERVE,
on
TUESDAY NEXT, 8th MARCH,
AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.,
at
ROSEVILLE,
BONDI-ROAD, BONDI
(CLOSE TO DENHAM-STREET).
Under instructions from
T. ROSE, ESQ.,
in consequence of his relinquishing housekeeping.
THE WHOLE OF HIS
VALUABLE MODERN FURNITURE
and
COSTLY HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS.
Including
QUANTITY SUPERIOR GLASS AND CHINA.
BEST ENGLISH ELECTROPLATE.
FINEST QUALITY ROYAL AXMINSTER CARPETS.
HALL-RUNNER 12 FEET LONG.
MASSIVE WALNUT SIDEBOARD,
MANUFACTURED IN THE BEST POSSIBLE MANNER, AND ARRANGED WITH ALL MODERN CONVENIENCES. OF MOST IMPOSING DESIGN, SIZE 7 FEET.
WALNUT EXTENSION DINING TABLE,
Fitted with Patent Screw and Spare Leaves Extending 10ft.
LOFTY OVERMANTELS,
in Solid Walnut Wood, with Numerous Bevelled Mirrors and Side Brackets.
MAGNIFICENT HALL APPOINTMENTS.
HANDSOME FUMED OAK HALL STAND and HIGH-BACK CHAIR en Suite.
BEAUTIFUL EBONISED CONSOLE TABLE AND GLASS,
arranged with very Lofty Bevelled Mirror Back, Numerous Side Mirrors, and Brackets, Decorated with ornately carved festoons and flowers.
CHOICE VASES AND ORNAMENTS.
PAIR OF EXCEEDINGLY BEAUTIFUL
FLORENTINE MARBLE EWER-SHAPED VASES,
WITH GRIFFIN HANDLES MOST PROFUSELY DECORATED WITH DELICATELY CHISELLED ROSES IN HIGH RELIEF,
STANDING ON FLUTED PEDESTALS ABOUT 5FT HIGH.
Also
A PAIR OLD ROMAN URNS TO MATCH, IN BARDIGLIO MARBLE.
VALUABLE COLLECTION
of
OIL AND WATERCOLOUR PAINTINGS,
EXCELLENT PRODUCTIONS
by
NEVILLE CAYLEY, LOUIS FRANG, JAMES PEEL, JULIAN ASHTON, NAYLOR GILL, F. R. SMITH, R.A., F. R. DONAT, R. DUCAT, AND OTHERS,
including
TWO FINE PAINTINGS FROM THE WENTWORTH COLLECTION.
HANDSOME DRAWING-ROOM SUITE,
comprising
LUXURIOUS SETTEE AND TWO COMFORTABLE EASY ARMCHAIRS,
Upholstered in Lyons Silk Damask.
ROSEWOOD OCCASIONAL AND RECEPTION CHAIRS.
ROSEWOOD AFTERNOON TEA-TABLES.
HANDSOME WHITE ENAMELLED DRAWING-ROOM CHINA CABINET.
WALNUT DINING-ROOM CABINET, specially fitted and arranged for displaying fine China Specimens.
GENUINE OLD CHIPPENDALE CARD TABLE,
SUPPORTED by ORNATELY CARVED CABRIOLE LEGS WITH LION'S CLAW AND BALL FEET, in very fine state of preservation.
MAGNIFICENT LIPP PIANOFORTE.
One of the finest instruments by Messrs. RICHARD LIPP AND SOHN ever submitted at auction; only 12 months in use.
SUPERB COMBINATION WHEELOCK PIANO AND PLAYER,
PRACTICALLY NEW,
etc., etc.
MAGNIFICENT BEDROOM SUITE,
IN SOLID WALNUT WOOD.
MADE SPECIALLY TO ORDER by Messrs. FARMER and CO., of exceedingly beautiful proportions, and highly finished throughout, comprising
COMMODIOUS 8ft 6in WARDROBE,
arranged with all modern conveniences.
LARGE CHEVAL PEDESTAL DRESSING TABLE.
FULL PEDESTAL WASHSTAND.
PEDESTAL CUPBOARD, TOWEL RAIL, and 2 CHAIRS.
SOLID WALNUT CHESTS OF DRAWERS.
MASSIVE ALL BRASS EXHIBITION BEDSTEAD,
ITALIAN DESIGN, FURNISHED WITH WOVEN WIRE SPRING MATTRESS, SUPERIOR QUALITY KAPOK BEDDING, AND EMBROIDERED MOSQUITO CURTAINS.
Also,
SUPERIOR BEDROOM SUITES AND APPOINTMENTS
for
SEVERAL MINOR APARTMENTS.
KITCHEN AND LAUNDRY REQUISITES.
WRIGHT'S No. 415 EUREKA GAS STOVE,
Enamelled throughout.
NOTE.—ROSEVILLE was furnished throughout quite recently to Mr. ROSE'S ORDER by
MESSRS. FARMER AND CO., AND BEARD, WATSON, LTD.,
and in every instance the appointments are in very excellent order.
Owing to shortness of notice, the Auctioneers regret that they have not had sufficient time to prepare a Catalogue.
ON VIEW ON MONDAY NEXT, 7th March, from 2 o'clock in the afternoon till 5 o'clock.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FURNITURE, FINE ART, AND GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,
128 and 130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.
TELEPHONE, 2056 CENTRAL.

IMPORTANT PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
MESSRS. JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE beg respectfully to announce the Forthcoming Highly Attractive Sale by Auction, as follows:—
The Recherche Appointments,
Artistic Modern Furniture,
Pictures, and Works of Art;
Also,
ELEGANT BROUGHAM CARRIAGE,
etc., etc., etc.
By order of
THE RIGHT HONOURABLE
SIR GEORGE REID, P.C., K.C.M.G., K.C.,
HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR AUSTRALIA.
To be held at the Residence,
ROSSLEIGH,
CHURCH-STREET, BURWOOD,
on
WEDNESDAY, 30th MARCH,
IN CONSEQUENCE OF HIS DEPARTURE FOR ENGLAND.
CATALOGUES OF THESE IMPORTANT EFFECTS WILL BE AVAILABLE IN DUE COURSE. APPLICATIONS FOR SAME WILL HAVE PROMPT ATTENTION.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FINE ART, FURNITURE, AND GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,
128-130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.
TELEPHONE, 2056 CENTRAL.

WAVERLEY—BONDI.
PER BONDI TRAM, ALIGHTING AT WATSON-STREET.
ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION
on
WEDNESDAY NEXT, 9th MARCH,
AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.
Under Instructions from
THE PROPRIETOR,
In Consequence of Relinquishing Housekeeping.
THE SUPERIOR FURNITURE AND EFFECTS
Contained in the Residence,
HARRYHURT VILLA,
BIRRELL-STREET, BONDI.
Including
GLASS, FINE CHINA, and ELECTROPLATE.
SUPERIOR DINING-ROOM FURNITURE.
ARTISTIC OVERMANTELS IN WALNUT.
DRAWING-ROOM OCCASIONAL CHAIRS.
BAMBOO AND LACQUERED MUSIC CABINET.
DRAWING-ROOM AXMINSTER CARPET.
RICH COLOURINGS (practically new).
FINE CHINA and PORCELAIN VASES.
WILMER PIANOFORTE,
UPRIGHT MODEL, in WALNUT CASE, SPECIALLY SELECTED at NICHOLSON and CO.'S GALLERIES (in splendid order).
SUPERIOR BEDROOM SUITES, in ROSEWOOD and WALNUT COLOUR, made to order, and very highly finished.
HANDSOME BLACK and BRASS BEDSTEADS, for DOUBLE and SINGLE ROOMS, with Woven Wire Mattress, and best quality Bedding, complete.
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY FURNITURE,
and
GENERAL HOUSEHOLD REQUISITES.
ON VIEW TUESDAY NEXT, 8th MARCH, from 10 o'clock a.m. to 5 o'clock p.m.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FINE ART, FURNITURE, AND GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,
128, 130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.

DOUBLE BAY.
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION
on
THURSDAY NEXT, 10th MARCH,
AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.
At the Residence,
LARBERT,
CROSS-STREET, DOUBLE BAY
(off Lower Ocean-street).
Under Instructions from
MRS. W. S. BAUMANN,
IN CONSEQUENCE OF LEAVING FOR EUROPE.
The Whole of her
ARTISTIC MODERN FURNITURE
and
COSTLY APPOINTMENTS,
including
GLASS, CHINA, and ELECTROPLATE.
TASMANIAN BLACKWOOD HALL STAND and SETTLE COMBINED in Artistic Design.
COMPLETE DINING-ROOM SUITE,
in
FUMIGATED and CARVED OAK,
consisting of
A 6ft SIDEBOARD, WITH ELLIPTIC FRONT,
AN OVERMANTEL,
SUITE OF TWO CARVERS CHAIRS AND SIX DINING CHAIRS, upholstered in DARK GREEN LEATHER and CLOSE BRASS STUDDED
(all in perfect order).
A TELESCOPE DINING TABLE, extending 8ft, with extra centre leg.
DRAWING-ROOM LOUNGE CHAIRS,
LARGE and MOST COMFORTABLE EASY CHAIRS, made to order by BEARD, WATSON, Ltd., UPHOLSTERED IN PLAIN CALICO, WITH EACH TWO SETS OF TAFFETA LOOSE COVERS.
RONISCH PIANOFORTE,
UPRIGHT MODEL, IN WALNUT CASE, HAS BEEN IN USE ONLY TWO YEARS. A SUPERB INSTRUMENT.
EXHIBITION CABINET,
A RARE EXAMPLE OF JAPANESE ART, FROM THE KYOTO EXHIBITION.
*** THIS TRULY BEAUTIFUL CABINET is SPECIALLY DESIGNED for the Reception of Rare China, and is without doubt ONE OF THE MOST UNIQUE REPRESENTATIONS OF JAPANESE CABINET WORK AND CARVING EVER SEEN IN AUSTRALIA.
THE LATE NEVILLE CAYLEY'S PAINTING, in WATER COLOURS, "JACKS," A GROUP OF SEVEN KOOKABURRAS, SIGNED, and DATED 1888.
ROYAL AXMINSTER CARPETS.
WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE,
CARVED and HIGHLY FINISHED, consisting of A MOST COMMODIOUS 6ft WARDROBE, DRESSING TABLE, with BEVEL MIRRORS, LARGE WASHSTAND, TOWEL RAIL, and CHAIRS, in beautiful order.
SATIN WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE, BEST ENGLISH MANUFACTURE, FOR SINGLE ROOM.
ENAMELLED and BRASS BEDSTEADS, with woven wire mattresses, and best quality bedding, complete.
LARGE ICE CHEST, "White Mountain Grand."
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY REQUISITES,
and
GENERAL HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS.
CATALOGUES MAY BE HAD FREE, PER POST, FROM THE AUCTIONEERS.
ON VIEW WEDNESDAY, 9th MARCH, FROM 10 O'CLOCK A.M., TO 5 O'CLOCK, P.M.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FINE ART, FURNITURE, and GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,
128-130 PITT-STREET, Near King-street.
TELEPHONE, 2056.

THIS DAY, MARCH 5th, at 10 A.M.,
at the CENTRAL AUCTION ROOMS, 274 PITT-ST.
Under instructions from
THE CURATOR OF INTESTATE ESTATES.
In the Estate of William Garvey.
WALNUT-FINISHED BEDROOM SUITE, 5 pcs.
Set Toilet Ware, Portmanteau, Wearing Apparel, etc.
In the Estate of Margaret Lazarus.
WALNUT-FINISH SIDEBOARD, com. top, 5 feet.
WALNUT-FINISH WARDROBE, 5 feet, with pair Combination Toilets, Chest of Drawers.
DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, in 8pcs, Tapestry and Plush.
WALNUT OVERMANTEL, Am. and Aust. Chairs.
Linoleum, Stair Carpet, Rugs, Oilcloth.
Dining Table, Wire Couch, Music Stand, Imitation Marble Clock, Fender, etc.
TWO DOUBLE ITALIAN BEDSTEADS and Kapok Bedding.
E.P. Ware, Cruet, Ornaments, Dinner Set, Glass and Crockery Ware, Kitchen Utensils, etc.

A. G. JENKINS will sell as above, THIS MORNING.

THIS MORNING,
at the CENTRAL AUCTION ROOMS, 274 PITT-ST.
AT 10 O'CLOCK.
GLASSWARE, CUTLERY, KITCHEN UTENSILS, BED LINEN, Etc.
Vulcanizer, D.B. Gun.
At 11 o'clock,
WALNUT DRAWING-ROOM CABINET.
Walnut-finished Sideboard, Dinner Waggon, Dining Tables, Wicker Furniture, Fcy. Tables, Aust. Chairs and Rockers.
SINGER DROPHEAD MACHINE, 7 drawers.
CEDAR BEDROOM SUITE, ASH CHEST, 5 Drawers.
Combination and 4ft 7-drawer Chests, Washstand and Ware, Toilet Tables and Glasses, Mirrors.
DOUBLE and SINGLE ITALIAN and HALF-TESTER BEDSTEADS, with Wire and Bedding.
Carpets, Lino., Brass Pedestal Lamp.
Glass Enclosed Dresser, Mangle, Ice Chest.
LOT OF FANCY GLASS GLOBES, SCRAP ALBUMS.
Saratoga Trunks, extra large.
AT 12.30.
Pianofortes, by Kirchner and Co., and Lambert.

A. G. JENKINS will sell as above, THIS DAY.

IMPERATIVE AUCTION SALE
of
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
THIS DAY, SATURDAY, AT 2.30 P.M.,
AT 84 GEORGE-ST WEST (near Abercrombie-st).
Under instructions from Mortgagee.
The whole of the DIN., DR., HALL, and BED ROOM FURNITURE, etc., removed from a private residence for convenience of Sale; and also in other interests:—
COSTLY PIANOFORTE, SIDEBOARD, B'ROOM SUITES, WARDROBES, EXTENSION and OTHER DINING TABLES, DOUBLE, & and SINGLE BEDSTEADS and BEDDING, COUCHES, CHAIRS, CUTLERY, CROCKERYWARE, KITCHEN UTENSILS, etc., etc.
NO RESERVE.

HERMAN COHEN, SON, AND CORK, Auctioneers.
'Phone, 889 Glebe.

DEAN SLATTERY'S LIBRARY.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION.
BY ORDER OF THE
ADMINISTRATOR LATE DEAN SLATTERY,
on
TUESDAY, 15th MARCH, 1910,
AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.
AT
THE PRESBYTERY,
CORNER OF WELLINGTON AND LENNOX STS., NEWTOWN.
(Close to Newtown Railway Station.)
The Whole of the
LATE DEAN'S VALUABLE LIBRARY,
SAID TO BE ONE OF THE MOST EXTENSIVE AND VALUABLE LIBRARIES IN THE COMMONWEALTH,
and
COMPRISES ABOUT
7000 VOLUMES OF BOOKS,
INCLUDING
RARE ECCLESIASTICAL WORKS,
HISTORY, TRAVEL,
AND STANDARD LITERATURE.
NOTE.—
THIS EXTREMELY VALUABLE LIBRARY WILL BE SOLD
in
ONE LOT,
BY ORDER OF THE ADMINISTRATOR to THE ESTATE.
THE LIBRARY will be OPEN for INSPECTION to the PUBLIC on
MONDAY, 14th MARCH.
CATALOGUES may be INSPECTED at the OFFICES of the AUCTIONEERS or at the RESIDENCE.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FINE ART, FURNITURE, and GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,
128 and 130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.
TELEPHONE, 2056 CENTRAL.

BUILDING MATERIALS. BUILDING MATERIALS.
The Materials of 9 Houses, on site,
BOTANY-ROAD, S. WATERLOO
(opposite Fairfield's, Butchery),
WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION
THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON, at 2.30.
A Really Useful Lot, comprising:—
2000ft H.W. JOISTS, RAFTERS, STUDS, PLATES, 8 x 2, 6 x 2, 4 x 2½, 3 x 2.
1000ft LINING, nicely painted, 6 x ½, 6 x ¾.
H.W. and PINE FLOORING, BATTENS.
PANEL and LEDGE DOORS, PICKET FENCING.
GAL. IRON, and A LOT OF SUNDRIES.

A. BARNETT AND PUGH have been instructed to sell Without Reserve, A LOT OF GOOD MATERIALS TO-DAY.

Important Announcement to Parties Furnishing.
TO FURNITURE DEALERS AND OTHERS.
ATTRACTIVE SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.
MONDAY, MARCH 7, at 11 A.M.,
on the premises,
TALMA, KING-STREET, BONDI.
(Unavoidably postponed from last Monday.)
Under instructions from Mrs. GARDINER.
China, Glassware, Cutlery, E.P. Ware.
5ft SIDEBOARD, CEDAR BOOKCASE, DINING TABLE.
OAK WARDROBE, Pair TOILETS, COMB. CHEST.
5-dr. Chest, B.M. Bedsteads, compl. Toilet set.
Rattan Occ. Chairs, Lounge, Easy Chairs.
Overmantels, Pictures, Floor Covers, N. Dresser, etc., etc.

A. BARNETT AND PUGH have been instructed to sell, WITHOUT RESERVE.
(See extended advt. Monday morning.)
TO SPECULATIVE BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS, PROPERTY OWNERS, AND OTHERS.
IMPORTANT SALE OF BUILDING MATERIALS
by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
TUESDAY NEXT, AT 11 O'CLOCK,
on the
corner of PITT and GOULBURN STREETS, opp. PALACE EMPORIUM.
These Materials have been removed from 3 large HOUSES in JAMIESON-STREET for convenience of Sale.
Comprising—
12 HANDSOME CEDAR DOORS, with jambs complete.
9 MODERN PANEL DOORS, in Pine, 6.8 x 2.8.
FRONT ENTRANCE DOORS, FRENCH CASEMENTS.
BOX FRAMES, with Sashes, in various sizes.
REGISTER GRATES, with Mantels, GAS FITTINGS.
20,000ft HARDWOOD JOISTS, 36ft long.
11 x 3, 9 x 3, 8 x 2½, 6 x 6, a splendid lot.
4000 feet RAFTERS and CEILING JOISTS.
6000 feet H'WOOD sq.-jointed FLOORING, long lengths.
2000 feet KAURI PINE FLOORING, 1000 feet Battens.
800 feet LINING, 750 feet Partition Board.
200 Sheets GALVANISED IRON, 6 to 8 ftx.
GRAND LOT of CEDAR SHELVING and SKIRTINGS, and hosts of first-class Material.

A. BARNETT AND PUGH will sell as above, under instructions from Mr. GEORGE WORKMAN, Demolition Contractor.
WITHOUT RESERVE.

MONSTER SALE OF BUILDING MATERIALS
by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
THURSDAY NEXT, AT 11 A.M.,
on the site,
Demolition of 12 MODERN HOUSES, situate in PAWLEY and CHESTER STREETS, SURRY HILLS,
just off Crown-street.
The Above are being DEMOLISHED to allow the continuation of DEVONSHIRE-ST to Moore Park.
There first-class Materials comprise—
700 Sheets GAL. IRON, 6 to 9 feet, an A1 lot.
10,000 feet H'WOOD JOISTS, 6 x 2½, 12, 13, 14 feet.
5000 feet CEILING JOISTS and RAFTERS, 4 x 2½, 4 x 2.
1000 feet 3 x 2, 3 x 3, SCANTLING and BATTENS.
200 feet Cast BALCONY RAILING, Modern.
6000 feet H'WOOD FLOORING, splendid lot.
2000 feet PINE FLOORING and Partition Boards.
1500 feet half-inch BALTIC LINING BOARDS.
30 BOX FRAMES and SASHES (Segment and others).
12 Pairs of FRENCH CASEMENTS, with frames.
12 FRONT DOORS, with Frames.
60 Panel DOORS, 6.8 x 2.8, 6.6 x 2.6.
24 REGISTER GRATES, all in perfect order.
PICKET FENCING, 60 PALING FENCE.
Large quantity of Water and Gas Piping, etc., etc.

A. BARNETT AND PUGH have received instructions from Mr. WAINWRIGHT, DEMOLITION CONTRACTOR, to sell as above.
ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
TO RESIDENTS and PROPERTY OWNERS of CAMPSIE, Enfield, Homebush, Burwood, and Ashfield and district.

A. BARNETT AND PUGH will sell by Public Auction, all the MATERIALS contained in 3 SHOPS and DWELLINGS, situate in BEAMISH-STREET, CAMPSIE, NEXT SATURDAY AFTERNOON, at 2.30, in Lots to suit purchasers, under instructions from
Mr. J. COULING, Demolition Contractor.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE
OF SURPLUS MATERIALS,
THIS DAY, SATURDAY, MARCH 5, AT 3 P.M. SHARP,
AT THE RAILWAY WORKSHOPS,
ROOKWOOD,
Under instructions from THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER FOR RAILWAYS.

JAMES COWAN, AUCTIONEER, BUILDERS' EXCHANGE,
WILL SELL IN LOTS TO SUIT PURCHASERS,
2000 SHEETS GALV. IRON, 5, 6, 7, 8 feet,
2 TONS SCRAP LEAD, COPPER, AND IRON,
BOX FRAMES, SASHES, DOORS, AND JOINERY,
COUNTERS, OFFICE FITTINGS,
100 TONS HEAVY TIMBERS, GIRDERS AND SLEEPERS
STOVES, GRATES, AND NUMEROUS SUNDRIES.
TERMS CASH.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED CLEARANCE AUCTION SALE
OF OBSOLETE STORES AND SURPLUS MATERIALS,
AT THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPOT, MURRAY-STREET, PYRMONT,
ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9,
AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.
Under instructions from the Hon. C. A. LEE, Esq., MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS.

JAMES COWAN, AUCTIONEER, BUILDERS' EXCHANGE,
will sell, in LOTS TO SUIT PURCHASERS,
5 TONS COPPER AND BRASS,
20 TONS CAST and WROUGHT IRON,
10 H.P. LOCO. TYPE BOILER (on wheels),
6 H.P. VERTICAL BOILER,
50 CASES 8 x 8 x 1 COMPOSITE TILES,
Large Quantity of GALV. and BLACK IRON PIPING,
TIMBER OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS,
OFFICE FURNITURE, JOINERY, GALV. IRON, NEW AND S.-HAND,
MANILA AND WIRE ROPES,
SUNDRIES TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION.
TERMS CASH.

TELEPHONES: Central 502, City 1941.
SALEROOM, 10 BARRACK-STREET.
TUESDAY, MARCH 8,
1910,
AT 2.30 P.M.
Under instructions from
CLAUDE HEALY and CO.,
as Agents for
Messrs. Harrisons and Crosfield, Ltd., Colombo.
The Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd.
600 PACKAGES CEYLON TEAS,

CLAUDE J. GANT, TEA BROKER and AUCTIONEER, 10 BARRACK-STREET, SYDNEY.

THERE'S no "Salty" after-taste in Foley's "CROWN" Brand Hams and Bacon. All grocers.

RAINE AND HORNE,
86 PITT-STREET,
AUCTIONEERS, LAND, AND ESTATE AGENTS, ATTORNEYS UNDER POWER, AND VALUATORS.
SALES OF CITY AND COUNTRY PROPERTIES EFFECTED BY PUBLIC AUCTION AND BY PRIVATE TREATY.
VALUATIONS.
RENTS COLLECTED.

DARLING POINT.
MONA EXTENSION ESTATE,
ALMOST THE LAST AVAILABLE LAND ON THE POINT,
SUBDIVIDED INTO ALLOTMENTS, FACING
NEW BEACH-ROAD AND LOFTUS-STREET.

THE ESTATE IS SITUATE JUST OUTSIDE THE NORTHERN BOUNDARY OF RUSHCUTTER BAY PARK, AND FROM EVERY ALLOTMENT VARIED AND EXTENSIVE VIEWS CAN BE OBTAINED OVERLOOKING RUSHCUTTER BAY AND PARK, ELIZABETH BAY POINT, AND THE HARBOUR.

THE POSITION IS A MOST CONVENIENT ONE TO THE CITY, AND THE ESTATE IS WITHIN TWO MINUTES' WALK OF THE BEACH-ROAD STOP OF THE ELECTRIC TRAM TO EDGECLIFF. THE ESTATE IS SURROUNDED BY GOOD RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES, AND ITS PROXIMITY TO RUSHCUTTER BAY SHOULD COMMEND IT TO THE ATTENTION OF BOATING MEN, ETC.

TORRENS TITLE.

TERMS.—Ten per cent. Deposit, and the Balance by twelve equal quarterly instalments, with interest at Five per cent. per annum.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE GROUND,
THIS DAY, SATURDAY, AT 3 P.M.
RAINE AND HORNE, AUCTIONEERS.

HONDA AND ARDEN ESTATES,
SHELL COVE-ROAD,
NEUTRAL BAY,
NEAR THE KURRABA WHARF, THE NEUTRAL BAY TRAM, AND THE ROUTE OF THE NEW CREMORNE POINT TRAM.
SEVENTEEN CHOICE RESIDENTIAL BLOCKS,
OVERLOOKING SHELL COVE.
IN AN ASSURED LOCALITY, AND SURROUNDED BY THE RESIDENCES OF SOME OF OUR LEADING CITIZENS.

PURCHASERS NEED NOT BUILD OR OTHERWISE IMPROVE unless they desire to do so, but in protection of the Estate any building erected on each lot must not be of the value of less than £600.
The Title is Leasehold, and the GROUND RENT ONLY WILL BE SUBMITTED TO PUBLIC COMPETITION, NO BONUS OR CASH CONSIDERATION being required.
Lithos. and Pamphlets, also full particulars as to the currency of the Leases, can be obtained upon application to the Auctioneers.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE GROUND,
SATURDAY, 19th MARCH, AT 3 P.M.

RAINE AND HORNE,
AUCTIONEERS.

CITY,
IN THE BEST PART OF
MACQUARIE-STREET,
adjoining the Chief Secretary's Offices.
THAT IMPOSING AND SUBSTANTIAL BUILDING,
NO. 123 MACQUARIE STREET,
WHICH, SINCE THE ADVENT OF FEDERATION, HAS BEEN USED AS THE STATE OFFICES OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.
The Building stands on land having a frontage of about 51ft 6in to MACQUARIE-STREET by a depth along a lane on the northern side of about 101ft through to a lane at the rear.
It is most SOLIDLY CONSTRUCTED of stone and brick, on massive stone foundations, lead roof, verandahs and balconies front and rear, and contains BASEMENT, GROUND AND THREE UPPER FLOORS. The Basement is divided into FIVE ROOMS, kitchen, cellar, etc.; and the UPPER FLOORS COMPRISE 17 ROOMS, EQUIPPED WITH ALL NECESSARY LAVATORY ACCOMMODATION AND BATHROOMS.
THE PROPERTY OCCUPIES AN IDEAL POSITION, OVERLOOKING THE BOTANIC GARDENS, WITH FAR-REACHING HARBOUR VIEWS.
HAVING UNOBSTRUCTED LIGHT ON THREE SIDES, IT IS EMINENTLY SUITABLE FOR CONVERSION INTO
RESIDENTIAL FLATS
OR ROOMS FOR PROFESSIONAL MEN.
THE GREAT IMPROVEMENTS THAT HAVE RECENTLY TAKEN PLACE IN MACQUARIE-STREET TESTIFY TO ITS GREAT POPULARITY FOR RESIDENTIAL OR PROFESSIONAL PURPOSES, AND AN OPPORTUNITY IS NOW AFFORDED OF ACQUIRING A HOLDING IN ONE OF THE BEST POSITIONS IN THE STREET.

RAINE AND HORNE have been instructed to offer the above FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, NEXT THURSDAY, 10th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.
Vendor's Solicitors, Messrs. ICETON, FAITHFULL, and MADDOCK. (1241)

FOR SALE ON BEHALF OF THE OWNER.
1. NEWTOWN,
NUMBERS 101 to 109 CHURCH-STREET, corner of RAPER-STREET, consisting of five Brick Houses, cemented and painted, known as AUCKLAND TERRACE, each containing hall-hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse, with garden, verandah, and balcony in front.
Land, 70 feet to CHURCH-STREET, by 90 feet along RAPER-STREET, to a passage at rear.
Rents 10s. each. £130 per annum.
SITUATED CLOSE TO KING-STREET, IN THE HEART OF NEWTOWN. A SPLENDID LETTING LOCALITY.
2. CAMPERDOWN,
Close to PARRAMATTA-ROAD,
DOVER CASTLE HOTEL, at the corner of MISSENDEN-ROAD and STEPHEN-STREET.
A substantial Brick Building, slate roof, and containing bar, 12 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and washhouse.
Land, 31 feet to MISSENDEN-ROAD by a depth of 180 feet along STEPHEN-STREET.
Premises are Let as an Hotel at £130 per annum till April, 1911.
Building can very cheaply be converted into a Private Residence, and is situated in the best part of MISSENDEN-ROAD, overlooking UNIVERSITY PARK.

RAINE and HORNE will sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, NEXT THURSDAY, 10th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.
W. R. and F. B. Jones, Solicitors for the Mortgagee, 107 Pitt-street.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
WOOLLAHRA FREEHOLDS.
TWO FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCES,
situate in the best part of
OCEAN-STREET. Convenient to tram.
LOT 1.
DUNSINANE, AT THE CORNER OF OCEAN-STREET AND TRELAWNEY-STREET.
A SUBSTANTIALLY-BUILT FAMILY RESIDENCE, brick on stone, hall, 4 reception, 7 bed rooms, bathroom, hot water service, pantry, kitchen, laundry, etc. Verandah and balconies.
Also, Brick-built Stable and Coachhouse, with 2 rooms over.
GARDEN IN FRONT AND AT SIDE.
LET AT £160 P.A.
LAND 80ft 1in to OCEAN-STREET x 119ft 8in along TRELAWNEY-STREET.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.
LOT 2 (Next to Lot 1).
DENVER, fronting OCEAN-STREET,
A WELL-BUILT FAMILY RESIDENCE,
Brick on stone, slate roof, hall, 14 LARGE ROOMS, kitchen, pantry, laundry, storeroom, small glass and bush house, tiled verandah and balcony, etc.
GARDEN IN FRONT AND SIDE ENTRANCE.
LET AT £156 P.A.
LAND 60ft 11in to OCEAN-STREET, x a depth of 118ft 1½in.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.
N.B.—EARLY POSSESSION can be arranged.

RAINE and HORNE, in conjunction with MARSHALL and DEMPSTER, will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on THURSDAY, 10th MARCH, 1910.
The above-described Two Houses in two lots.

REDFERN,
No. 141 BULLANAMING-STREET, near Turner-street, off Redfern-street,
A DETACHED DOUBLE-FRONTED WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE,
containing 3 rooms and kitchen. Rent £30 1s p.a.
LAND 25ft x 92ft. TORRENS TITLE.

RAINE and HORNE will sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, NEXT THURSDAY, 10th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m. (1245)

By Order of the Administrator in a deceased Estate.
ASHFIELD,
A CHOICE BUILDING SITE,
having a frontage of 50 feet to GEORGE'S RIVER-ROAD by a depth of 150 feet.
Level Land, FRONTING THE ENFIELD TRAM, quite close to MILTON-STREET, and in a RAPIDLY-IMPROVING LOCALITY, surrounded by GOOD COTTAGES.

RAINE and HORNE will sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, NEXT THURSDAY, 10th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m. (1246)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
HUNTER'S HILL,
in NELSON-STREET, within easy distance of the Ferry Wharf, and occupying AN ELEVATED AND COMMANDING POSITION.
THREE DOUBLE-FRONTED DETACHED COTTAGES,
substantially constructed of brick, fronts tuck-pointed, on stone foundations, slate and tile roofs, verandah front and side, and each containing hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, and laundry.
THE COTTAGES, WHICH OCCUPY ONE OF THE BEST SITES IN HUNTER'S HILL, ARE OF MODERN DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION, AND EQUIPPED WITH ALL CONVENIENCES.
THE LAND has a frontage to NELSON-STREET of about 174 feet, by a mean depth of about 180 feet through to WANDELLO-LANE at rear.
TORRENS TITLE.
If not Sold as a whole the Cottages will be offered separately.

RAINE and HORNE have been instructed to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt street, NEXT THURSDAY, 10th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.
Mortgagee's Solicitors: Messrs. SLY and RUSSELL. (1242)

OWNER LEAVING THE STATE.
CAMPSIE,
IN BROWNING-STREET, three minutes from station, A MODERN RUSTICATED WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE, containing hall, 4 large rooms, large kitchen, bathroom, washhouse, stable, sheds, and fowl run.
LAND, 46ft x 165ft. TORRENS TITLE.

RAINE and HORNE will sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, Next THURSDAY, 10th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m. (1250)

By Order of the Trustees in a deceased Estate.
1. REDFERN.
At the CORNER of MARRIOTT-STREET and PHILLIP-STREET.
AN EXCELLENT BUILDING SITE,
having a frontage to MARRIOTT-STREET of about 50 feet by a depth along PHILLIP-STREET on one side of about 125 feet through to a lane at the rear.
THE ATTENTION OF INVESTORS AND OTHERS IS DIRECTED TO THIS LAND, AS IT IS EMINENTLY SUITABLE FOR THE ERECTION UPON IT OF
COTTAGES OR FACTORY PREMISES,
HAVING UNINTERRUPTED LIGHT ON THREE SIDES.
TORRENS TITLE.
2. STRATHFIELD,
with frontages to MOSELEY-STREET and COOPER-STREET, WITHIN A MINUTE OF THE RAILWAY STATION, AND SURROUNDED BY FIRST-CLASS PROPERTIES.
TWO SPLENDID BUILDING BLOCKS
Lots 1 to 6, having a total frontage of about 221 feet 6 inches to MOSELEY-STREET by a depth of about 140 feet along COOPER-STREET on one side and 120 feet along a lane on the other side, through to a lane at rear.
Lots 7 and 8, having a frontage to COOPER-STREET of about 80 feet by a depth of about 217 feet along a lane on one side to a lane at rear.
TORRENS TITLE.
THIS LAND IS MOST CONVENIENTLY SITUATED, AND IS SUITABLE FOR THE ERECTION OF SHOPS OR COTTAGE PROPERTY.

RAINE and HORNE have been instructed to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 31st MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.
Solicitors to the Estate: Messrs ICETON, FAITHFULL, and MADDOCK. (1260)

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.
PERKINS' ESTATE,
ROOTY HILL,
TWO DAIRYING AND GRAZING FARMS,
in the same hands for 50 years,
situated three miles south from
ROOTY HILL STATION,
fronting
WALLGROVE-ROAD.
1. "VERT PRE," containing 114 Acres, cleared, HALF-MILE CREEK FRONTAGE. Hay shed, cultivation paddock, securely fenced.
2. "DRESITE," 1?? Acres, partly cleared, balance lightly timbered, PERMANENT WATER, mile frontage to main road, ADJOINS MINCHINBURY."
WITHIN WALLAGAMBA IRRIGATION SCHEME AREA.

RAINE and HORNE have been instructed to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 31st MARCH, at 11.30 a.m. (1269)

AUCTION, THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON, at 3.30,
On the Ground,
CAMPBELL-STREET and WESTERN ROAD, PARRAMATTA.
THE CEDARS, LEASEHOLDS.
Six Unique BUILDING SITES.
The Premier Residential Portion in the town.
ATTEND THE SALE.

MOBBS AND CO., Auctioneers, Parramatta.

EASTER SATURDAY, AT CRONULLA.
AUCTION ON THE GROUND, AT 3 O'CLOCK.
11 BUSINESS and BUILDING SITES, each 200 feet deep, right at the TRAM TERMINUS and Hotel, and within a hop, step, and jump from the Ocean. Don't miss this chance. Torrens title. Easy Terms.
After the above, we will offer a BLOCK OF 8 ACRES, all frontages and ready for subdivision. No new streets required. This Land provides excellent Water Views, and is on the Main Tram Route, opposite Mervyn's Estate.

MOBBS and CO., Auctioneers, Parramatta.
Tel., 18 P.

THE SYDNEY MAIL
The Literary Department of the Sydney Mail contains each week Original Essays and Papers of the most entertaining kind.
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TWELVE Pounds 10s buys a No. 7 Remington Typewriter, 2nd-hd. Equal new. Stott, Hoare, Moore-st.

MONA EXTENSION EST., surrounded by good residential properties, Auc. Sale, TO-DAY. R. and H.

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CAMELOT, SPIT-ROAD, MOSMAN.

CHOICE POSITION, COMMANDING EXTENSIVE WATER VIEWS THROUGH THE HEADS.

FOUR BUILDING SITES, IN SPIT-ROAD.

THE COTTAGE RESIDENCE AND A RESIDENTIAL SITE, IN UPPER SPIT-ROAD.

THE COTTAGE AND EACH BUILDING SITE ENJOY A DELIGHTFUL EASTERLY ASPECT, are within 2 MINUTES' WALK OF SHELL COVE BEACH, and only a short walk down to THE SPIT.

TORRENS TITLE. LIBERAL TERMS.

THE COTTAGE is most substantially built of STONE, tiled roof, has Verandah (tiled) in front, and contains hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, linen closet, pantry, kitchen, and washhouse.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD., have received instructions from the OWNER, on account of his early departure for England, to sell by auction, ON THE GROUND, AT 3 O'CLOCK

THIS AFTERNOON.

CAMELOT AND BEAUTIFULLY LAID-OUT GROUNDS, SPIT-ROAD, MOSMAN, SUBDIVIDED AS ABOVE.

TERMS OF SALE: Extending over 3 years, interest 4½ per cent. per annum.

SALE ON THE GROUND, ONE MINUTE FROM

DUNDAS RAILWAY STATION.

THE GRAND VIEW ESTATE,

Subdivided into 58 Splendid Residential Sites. City water and gas in the district; also delightful spring water. Commands views in an extremely healthy railway suburb, and, when better known, will have large prospective value. Torrens Title. Liberal Terms. *** City Water passes the Estate.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND,

THIS DAY.

Lithographs Obtainable.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (5078)

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE HON. THE MINISTER FOR LANDS.

CROWN LAND SALE.

VILLAGE OF HEATHCOTE.

At the ROOMS, 98 Pitt-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, the 10th MARCH, 1910, at 11.30 o'clock a.m.,

The lands to be offered for sale comprise 97 portions in the Parish of Heathcote, County of Cumberland, situated within the suburban boundaries of the Village of Heathcote, fronting and adjacent to the western side of the South Coast Railway Line, and the eastern side of the Illawarra-road, distant generally ½ to 2 miles from Heathcote Railway Station, and separated by the railway line from National Park. The land is situated from 550 to 650 feet above sea-level, and is well adapted for residential purposes. The AREAS of the blocks vary from 3 roods 11 perches to 7 acres 27 perches each, and the UPSET PRICES from £40 to £84 per lot.

TERMS:—Deposit 25 per cent., balance in five equal annual instalments, with interest at 5 per cent. per annum.

Further particulars and plans may be obtained from the Information Bureau, Department of Lands, Sydney.

Messrs. RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, Auctioneers,
(Ss-105) 98 Pitt-street, Sydney.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

CITY AND SUBURBAN FREEHOLDS.

LOT 1.—WOOLLOOMOOLOO.—BLOCK of BUILDING LAND, 55 feet frontage to east side of BROUGHAM-STREET, depth 75 feet.
*** Adjoins No. 82 Brougham-street, between William-street and Cowper Wharf.

LOT 2.—GLEBE POINT.—Villa Residence, KINKORA, No. 11 STEWART-STREET, and extending to WATERS of JOHNSTONE'S BAY. It is of brick on stone, slate and iron roof, porch entrance, and containing hall, double drawing-room, dining-room, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, pantry, and kitchen; bedroom and washhouse in basement. Land 40ft by 200ft. TORRENS TITLE.

LOT 3.—WAVERLEY, within 2d tram section.—TERRACE of NINE well-built COTTAGES, in KIERAN-STREET, a little west of NEWLAND-STREET, and close to OXFORD-STREET, Sydney side of Bondi Junction. Each is of brick, front tuckpointed, on stone and brick foundation, slate and iron roofs, tiled verandah in front, small verandahs at rear, and each containing hall, 4 rooms, large kitchen, pantry, bathroom, and washhouse. Land 147 feet 4½ in. frontage by 132 feet 9in. TORRENS TITLE.
*** A Capital Investment for Trust Money, etc.

LOT 4.—VAUCLUSE, ROSE BAY.—Attractive and substantial COTTAGE RESIDENCE, of stone, in TOWNS-ROAD, between South Head New-road and Captain Piper's-road. It has tiled roof, verandah front and sides, balcony at rear, tiled porch, hall, drawing, dining, and breakfast rooms, 4 bedrooms, linen closet, bathroom, pantry, and kitchen; man's room, laundry, workshop, and fuel bin in basement. Land 72 feet frontage by average depth of 250 feet.
*** A recently-erected Home Property, in an esteemed and advancing Suburb.

LOT 5.—CHATSWOOD WEST.—Block of LAND in area 11 ACRES and 12 ACRES, fronting MOWBRAY-ROAD WEST, extending to reservation along Lane Cove River. The greater part is cleared, portion planted with fruit trees, flowering plants, etc.
The other improvements consist of COTTAGE RESIDENCE of brick, tiled roof, verandah front, sides, and rear, and containing hall, 9 rooms, bathroom, 2 pantries, kitchen, and laundry; stabling of w.b., tiled roof, man's room, fowl runs, and sheds.

LOT 6.—NORTH SYDNEY.—W.B. D. COTTAGE, No. 76 BOLTERMAN-STREET, near West-street, containing 4 rooms. Land 40 feet by 184 feet, back to Huntington-street. TORRENS.

LOT 7.—MARRICKVILLE HEIGHTS.—Detached COTTAGE, Rosebank, on south side of HARNETT-AVENUE, a little west of Illawarra-road, built of brick, cemented, and painted, stone foundation, slate and iron roof, bay window, and tiled verandah in front, and containing hall, 6 rooms, enclosed area, bathroom, kitchen, pantry, washshed, brick set. Land 50 feet, depth 150 feet. Torrens Title.

LOT 8.—WATERLOO SOUTH.—VACANT BLOCK of FREEHOLD LAND, Nos. 22 and 23, Sec. 13, SOUTH WATERLOO ESTATE, 66 feet frontage to HARRIS-STREET, by 130 feet.

LOT 9.—WATERLOO.—SHOP and Dwelling, No. 42 ELIZABETH-STREET, of brick, awning in front, 5 apartments, and kitchen. Land 15 feet frontage by 112 feet back to lane. Leasehold.

LOT 10.—LEICHHARDT.—Two Brick DWELLINGS, Nos. 54 and 56 REUSS-STREET, at the corner of Excelsior-street, verandah in front, each 3 rooms and kitchen, one has shop front. Land 27 feet to Reuss-street, by 90 feet along Excelsior-street, and 25 feet frontage to lane at rear. TORRENS.

LOT 11.—HURSTVILLE.—TWO BLOCKS OF LAND, viz., 1 acre 1 rood 3½ perches, being Lots 17 to 19 and 22 to 24, Sec. 2, CENTRAL ESTATE; and 2 ROODS 21 PERS, being Lots 23 and 4, Sec. 6, same Estate. TORRENS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 11th March, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above. (5094)

GOOD PROPERTIES IN CHOICE POSITIONS.

LOT 1. DARLINGHURST-ROAD, close to Green Park and Oxford-street, and only 2 minutes from penny section terminus of Bellevue Hill tram.
RESIDENCE, No. 140 DARLINGHURST-ROAD, built of brick, front cemented and painted, rear painted, balcony front and rear, and containing hall, 7 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, brick stable.
The LAND has 26½ feet frontage by a depth through to HARDIE-STREET (formerly Upper Brougham-street). RENT, £78 per annum.
*** A convenient home, on heights of Darlinghurst, within easy walking distance of business centre.

LOT 2. PADDINGTON, handy to DARLINGHURST. Faithfully-built and well-situated TERRACE of FOUR PRIVATE RESIDENCES, at the corner of LIVERPOOL and GLENVIEW STREETS, and being Nos. 32 to 38 Glenview-street.
They are of brick, front and west gable cemented and painted, rear painted, on stone, slate and iron roofs, verandahs and balconies in front, and each containing hall, 5 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, pantry, and washshed.
The LAND has about 86 FEET FRONTAGE with a depth through of 120 feet extending to lane.
RENTAL, £208 per annum.
*** A splendid position (close to Bellevue tram at Darlinghurst), and the houses are in good order. The terrace was designed and erected under a well-known Sydney architect.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 11th March, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above STERLING INVESTMENT.
W. F. BRENNAN, Esq., 118 Pitt-street, is Solicitor for the Estate. (5058)

LEICHHARDT, CLOSE TO TRAM.
Double-fronted COTTAGE, No. 24 MARION-STREET, of brick on stone, slate and iron roof, verandah, and containing hall, 9 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and laundry. Flower beds, grass plots, statues, etc. LAND, 40ft frontage by 100ft. TORRENS TITLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., in conjunction with SYDNEY C. FRASER, will sell by auction at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 11th March, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above neat and comfortable Cottage. (5103)

LINDFIELD, NORTH SHORE LINE.

An attractive COTTAGE PROPERTY, known as CLYDESDENE, fronting GRASSMERE-ROAD, between Provincial and Fidden's Wharf roads, and approached by Commonwealth-street, off to Lane Cove-road. It is most substantially built of rusticated weatherboard (lath and plaster inside), on brick piers, has verandah front and sides, and contains hall, drawing and dining rooms, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, pantry, and kitchen; storeroom and washhouse in the basement. Land, 1 ACRE, being 167ft to Grassmere-road x 258ft 4in; laid out into lawns, flower plots, fruit and vegetable garden. Torrens Title.
Auction Sale, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 11th March, at 11.30 a.m.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., Auctioneers. (5093)

BRADLEY'S HEAD-ROAD, MOSMAN.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

A Choice Position, commanding most Extensive Views of the Harbour across to the City,
CHESTERTON,
An attractively finished COTTAGE RESIDENCE, fronting road west side of BRADLEY'S HEAD-ROAD, a few yards south of Thompson-street. It is built of brick (tuckpointed) on rubble stone foundation, has verandah (tiled) front and side, and contains hall, drawing and dining rooms, breakfast-room, 4 bedrooms, servants' room, linen closet, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, washhouse, and fuel-house, detached stable, coachhouse, man's room, and feedroom of weatherboard. Land 65ft to Bradley's Head-road, depth 189ft 11in on one side and 161ft on the other, with a side abutting portion, having 60ft frontage to Thompson-street, with a depth of 180ft. Torrens Title.
The Property is situate in a high-class neighbourhood, with attractive surroundings, handy to trams, and only 9 minutes' walk from the new ferry at Athol Gardens.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, in conjunction with Messrs. WALKER BROTHERS, on FRIDAY, 11th MARCH, at 11.30 o'clock,
The above COTTAGE PROPERTY at MOSMAN.
Messrs. BRADLEY and SON are Solicitors, No. 60 Margaret-street.

INSPECTION INVITED. (5090)

PEACOCK'S POINT, BALMAIN.

Close to the Water, South of Darling-street Wharf.
A Building Site, lots 9 and 10 of Subd., having 40ft frontage to WILLIAM-STREET, a few yards east of St. Mary's-street, with a depth of 78ft.
By order of the Permanent Trustee Company of New South Wales, Ltd., in the Estate late Randolph J. Want, Esq.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 11th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.
The above Land, at Balmain. Plans on view at the Rooms. (5073)

MOSMAN.—Building Site, Lot 25, Sect. 4, Subd., having 40ft frontage to CABRAMATTA-ROAD, west of Cowles-road, depth 130ft back to a lane. Torrens.
In the Estate late F. W. Duckes. Messrs. Makinson and Plunkett, Solicitors, Elizabeth-street.
Auction Sale at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 11th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (5096)

GEORGE-STREET, CITY.

In that active centre between MARKET AND PARK STREETS, opposite the QUEEN VICTORIA MARKETS, 21 YEARS' LEASE

OF THAT VALUABLE BLOCK OF LAND having a fine frontage to GEORGE-STREET, by a GREAT DEPTH, WITH LANE ENTRANCE.
THE PRESENT SITE OF
No. 510 GEORGE-STREET.
Occupied by Messrs. Mick Simmons and another.
Building Covenant of £3000 to be expended within first year of lease. Full particulars of lease obtainable from the Auctioneers.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will lease by Auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, March 18, at 11.30 a.m., the above 21 YEARS' LEASE of Valuable Property,
GEORGE-STREET, CITY. (5080)

COOGEE, CLOSE TO THE OCEAN BEACH.

A VALUABLE BUSINESS CORNER at ONE OF THE BUSY TRAM STOPPING-PLACES, One of the KEY CORNERS.

91 FEET to ARDEN-STREET,
120 FEET to CARR-STREET,
together with the small Shop and Dwelling (occupied by Mr. Hanley) thereon.

The above Corner is admirably situated for RESIDENTIAL FLATS, or a large REFRESHMENT ROOMS and SHOPS. It is centrally situated, and the view of the Ocean cannot be built out. Inspection invited.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 18th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above Corner at Coogee. Plan on view at the Rooms.

FARM AT WYONG.

On the Eastern Side of the Railway Line, and distant about 3½ miles from the Railway Station.
200 ACRES,
being portion of FARM No. 27 of WARNER'S ESTATE, and having frontages to TUGGERAH LAKE and to JOHN'S-ROAD. The Property is fenced, and the Soil is described as being suitable for ORCHARD and MARKET GARDEN PURPOSES, and the Estate when cleared could be worked profitably as a DAIRY FARM.
***The WYONG DISTRICT has COME to the FRONT during the last few years as being ADMIRABLY ADAPTED for FARMING and DAIRYING PURPOSES, as EVIDENCED by the LARGE and INCREASING POPULATION of the DISTRICT.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 18th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above Farm at WYONG, on the NORTHERN LINE. Plan on view at the Rooms.
Messrs. Jones and Jones, Royal-chambers, Hunter and Castlereagh streets, Solicitors to the vendor.

PENNANT HILLS-ROAD, CARLINGFORD,

ON THAT BEAUTIFUL RIDGE WEST OF THE RAILWAY STATION, FROM WHICH MAGNIFICENT VIEWS ARE ENJOYED.
THE FLOWER FARM, in area 11 ACRES and 25 PERCHES, fronting the PENNANT HILLS-ROAD and TINTERN-ROAD, adjoining HAYFIELD COLLEGE, and only a few minutes' walk from the CARLINGFORD STATION, together with the Cottage thereon.
An ADMIRABLE SITE for a RESIDENCE in this PICTURESQUE DISTRICT, surrounded by HIGH-CLASS PROPERTIES, or suitable for SUBDIVISION PURPOSES.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 18th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above choice Property at Carlingford. Plan on view at the Rooms. (5098)

MARRICKVILLE.

A two-story SHOP and DWELLING, fronting the MARRICKVILLE-ROAD, a few yards east of Victoria-road. Land, 40ft x 115ft, back to a lane. An improving position, close to the trams, occupied by Mr. Woodland.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 18th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above Property at Marrickville. Full particulars in a future issue. (5106)

DARLINGTON, CLOSE TO CITY BOUNDARY.
A two-story HOUSE, No. 16 ROSE-STREET (East side), between Cleveland and Ivy streets. Land, 20ft x 90ft, back to a lane.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 18th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above Property at Darlington. Full particulars in a future issue. (5101)

GREER'S HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA (Cloudy) is a luxury for the bath, washes clothes, removes stains and grease from clothing. Indispensable in every house. ALL GROCERS AND STOREKEEPERS.

NORTH SYDNEY.

ONE OF THE FINEST POSITIONS IN THIS ATTRACTIVE SUBURB.

SURROUNDED by HIGH-CLASS RESIDENCES, including Bockleigh Grange, the residence of Hon. Jas. Hughes, M.L.C., and The Priory, the residence of Mrs. T. Fisher.

A VALUABLE CORNER SITE,

having frontages of
150ft to the West side of EDWARD-STREET,
130ft to the South side of RILEY-STREET.
SITUATED between MOUNT and BERRY STREETS, together with a Detached House and Cottage, Nos. 36 and 38 EDWARD-STREET, thereon.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 18th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above Property, on the HEIGHTS OF NORTH SYDNEY. Full particulars in a future issue.
Messrs. NORTON, SMITH, and CO., O'Connell-street, Solicitors to the owners. (5101)

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE WILL OF THE LATE BRIDGET RYAN, for PURPOSE OF WINDING UP THE ESTATE.
SURRY HILLS.
TWO BRICK BUILT HOUSES, Nos. 15 and 17 CORBEN-STREET, between Foveaux and Fitzroy streets, a few feet west of Riley-street. RENTAL, £57 4s per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 18th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above, full particulars of which will appear in future advertisement.
Messrs. MURPHY and MOLONEY are Solicitors of the Estate. (5104)

PADDINGTON,
CLOSE TO BELLEVUE HILL TRAM.

BY ORDER OF THE PERPETUAL TRUSTEE CO., LTD.,
as Trustees in the Estate late J. Eggers.
Brick built HOUSE, No. 24 GURNER-STREET, erected on land having about 13ft 3in frontage to GURNER-STREET, by a depth of 101ft back to a lane. Rent, 22s 6d per week.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 18th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above, full particulars of which will appear in future advertisement. (5105)

MOREHEAD-STREET, REDFERN.
THREE HOUSES, Nos. 46, 48, 50, built of brick, front cemented, each having verandah, balcony, half hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, one has extra room and stabling. Rentals, £130 13s per annum. Title leasehold, about 44 years yet to run, at low balance of ground rental, viz., £4 10s per annum.
THE LAND as occupied with houses, say 49ft frontage, depth over 100ft.
S. E. Pile, Esq., of 146 King-street, is solicitor for owner.
AUCTION SALE FRIDAY, 18th MARCH, at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (5102)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
SUMMER HILL.
A DETACHED COTTAGE, known as Pomona, fronting HERBERT-STREET, opposite the Public School. It is built of brick (cemented), on stone foundation; has verandah (tiled) in front, and verandah at rear, and contains hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, and pantry; washhouse of wood, detached workshop, fernery, stable, and buggy shed, etc., of wood. Land, 51ft 6in x 150ft. Torrens Title.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 18th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above Cottage, Herbert-street, Summer Hill.
Messrs. Deane and Deane, Rowe-street, Mortgagee's Solicitors. (5097)

GLENBROOK, BLUE MOUNTAINS,
On the Southern Side of the Line, Short Distance West of the Railway Station.
FOUR HALF-ACRE BUILDING SITES, opposite a GOVERNMENT RESERVE, Comprising Lots 1 to 4, Sect. 25, Government Subd. of the VILLAGE OF GLENBROOK, each having 138ft frontage to PRINCE-STREET, depth 165ft back to a Lane. Plan on View at the Rooms.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by Auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 18th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above Sites at GLENBROOK. (5095)

CANTERBURY.

East of the TOWN HALL, and only a short distance from the RAILWAY STATION.
A LARGE BLOCK OF LAND, suitable for SUBDIVISION into Building Sites, or as a FACTORY SITE, in area
44 ACRES 36 PERCHES,
fronting Woolcott-street and Fore-street, also a large frontage to Cup and Saucer Creek. Torrens Title. Plan on view at Rooms.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, MARCH 18, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above Land, to be sold in ONE LOT.

HIGHLAND SUBURB.

HEALTHY HOMES FOR CITY PEOPLE.
On high land at the corner of BALACLAVA and GREAT NORTH ROADS, within 10 minutes' walk of EASTWOOD STATION.
Subdivision of 16 Acres, known as
HUNT'S HILL ESTATE, EASTWOOD,
into 24 LOTS, each containing from HALF AN ACRE TO ONE ACRE.
The land fronts BALACLAVA-ROAD and the GREAT NORTH-ROAD, the former the MAIN THOROUGHFARE leading from RAILWAY STATION to MARSFIELD, and the latter to the Great North-road, the continuation of the route from the Ryde tram.
THE BLOCKS fronting GREAT NORTH-ROAD are especially well situated in commanding positions. The soil is first-class, and the blocks are exactly suited for people employed in the city who wish for a home in the Highland Suburb, where they can make a garden, rear poultry, keep a cow, and a pony and trap.
A salubrious climate, crisp, and dry, enjoying the benefit of Mountain air with all the Suburban conveniences and comfort. The district is beautiful and is progressing. Values must improve.
Terms of Sale: One-tenth deposit, and the balance extending over 5 years at 5 per cent; building covenant for protection of purchasers.
TORRENS TITLE.
By order of Richard Hunt, Esq.
Lithographs obtainable from the Auctioneers, or from the Owner on the property.
AUCTION SALE, on the Ground, at 3 o'clock,
SATURDAY, 19th MARCH, 1910.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., Auctioneers, 98 Pitt-street.

LAKEMBA.
BELMORE TO BANKSTOWN RAILWAY LINE.

CREWE ESTATE,

in
LARGE BUILDING SITES,
on the Ground, at 3.30 p.m.,
SATURDAY, MARCH 19,
under Torrens Title, and the following
EASY TERMS OF PAYMENT,
viz., £1 deposit per lot, balance by monthly payments of £1 per lot, interest 5 per cent. per annum.
Messrs. ROBSON and COWLISHAW are Solicitors of the Estate.

LITHOGRAPHS OBTAINABLE.

***This well-known Estate is situate at the CORNER of Ludgate-street and Canary-road, a few yards south of Canterbury-road.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (5085)

FRESHWATER, MANLY, LEWERS' SUBDIVISION.

Right at the
GRAND OCEAN BEACH.

THE SAFEST SURF-BATHING BEACH ON THE COAST, AND THE FAVOURITE WEEK-END AND HOLIDAY RESORT NORTH OF SYDNEY.

AT LAST THE OPPORTUNITY HAS ARRIVED TO ACQUIRE
A SITE FOR YOUR SEASIDE HOME,
on the
ORIGINAL FRESHWATER ESTATE.

UNLOCKED AT LAST.
PICKED SITES AT THIS FAVOURITE WATERING PLACE.
The
Finest and Safest Place to Shoot the Breakers
is at
FRESHWATER BEACH.

SUBDIVISION SALE, on the GROUND, at 3 p.m.,
EASTER SATURDAY.

Lithographs obtainable from the Auctioneers. Inspect the Lots for Sale.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., Auctioneers, 98 Pitt-street. (5075)

ATTRACTIVE MOUNTAIN BUILDING SITES ARE BEING MADE AVAILABLE BY THE SUBDIVISION OF THE FAVOURABLY AND WELL KNOWN
HOMEDALE ESTATE,
SPRINGWOOD,
BLUE MOUNTAINS,
FOR MANY YEARS THE FAMILY RESIDENCE OF MRS. HOARE.
THIS WELL-KNOWN AND VERY FINE PROPERTY WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION ON THE GROUND, IN ALLOTMENTS.

It is situated only 5 minutes from the Springwood Railway Station, which is 47 miles from Sydney, and served by the fastest express trains in the State, with splendid daily service.
The Land is level and park-like, with the richest soil and beautifully timbered, besides being well sheltered, and the Allotments will be of liberal size.
Anyone in search of a Building Block with an Elevation of 1300 feet cannot do better than inspect this first-class Estate. The Property is off the main road, and free from the dust of motor traffic.

THE TITLE IS TORRENS.

PLANS WILL BE READY AT AN EARLY DATE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., in conjunction with MARSHALL and DEMPSTER, will offer this EXCELLENT PROPERTY AT PUBLIC AUCTION ON THE GROUND, EASTER SATURDAY, MARCH 26.
Messrs. JOHN WILLIAMSON and SONS, King-street, Sydney, are the VENDOR'S SOLICITORS.

IN Good Condition, Fox Foolscap Typewriter, visible, £15. Inspect. Stott and Hoare, Moore-st.

MONA EXTENSION EST., with extensive views of the Harbour, for Sale, THIS DAY. R. and H.

THE WELL-KNOWN
REDDY ESTATE, HORNSBY,
fronting
PRETORIA-PARADE,
at the railway line, a short distance Sydney side of Hornsby Railway Station, is in course of subdivision into
CHOICE BUILDING SITES,
and will BE SOLD ON THE GROUND,
at 3 p.m., SATURDAY, 2nd APRIL,
under TORRENS TITLE and EASY TERMS.
*** The POSITION is ELEVATED, hereby commanding EXTENSIVE VIEWS.
HORNSBY is 594 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL, although only 21 miles from city.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (in conjunction with F. H. J. Robinson, of Hornsby). (5044)

CITY.

50 YEARS' LEASES.

By Order of the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor of Sydney.

VALUABLE POSITIONS.
LOT 1.—PITT, HAY, and CAMPBELL STREETS, key to the Railway Traffic.
LOT 2.—CASTLEREAGH, HAY, and CAMPBELL STREETS, in the track of Railway Traffic.
LOTS 1, 2, and 3.—ELIZABETH, CASTLEREAGH, HAY, and CAMPBELL STREETS. All the above are splendid sites.
ALSO LOTS AT GEORGE-STREET WEST.

The above are particularised thus:—
LOT 1.—160 feet 6 inches PITT-STREET.
172 feet 6 inches HAY-STREET.
172 feet 6 inches CAMPBELL-STREET.
LOT 2.—163 feet 4 inches CASTLEREAGH-ST.
205 feet HAY-STREET.
173 feet 2 inches CAMPBELL-STREET.
Moderate Building Covenant, £17,500 and £12,500 respectively.

Both formed the site of the OLD BELMORE MARKETS, and are worthy to be adorned with a commanding building for THEATRE, Palace for Entertainments, Range of Shops, or other Commercial uses, including a Colossal Drapery or General Store. The two lots combined would be almost matchless for the purpose.

50 YEARS' LEASES.
LOT 1.—ELIZABETH, HAY, and CASTLEREAGH-STREETS.
Frontages, 68 feet 9 inches to ELIZABETH-STREET.
64 feet 7 inches to CASTLEREAGH-STREET.
51 feet 2 inches to HAY-STREET.
LOT 2.—ELIZABETH and CASTLEREAGH STREETS. 60 feet to 60 feet 4 inches frontage to each; depth, 88 feet 2 inches (average).
LOT 3.—ELIZABETH, CAMPBELL, and CASTLEREAGH STREETS. Frontages, 61 feet 2 inches, 92 feet 9 inches, 61 feet 3 inches.
These three Lots subject to £3500 Building Covenant.

All above Five Lots are close to the Central Railway Station, viewable therefrom, and front the main thoroughfares to and from it and populous suburbs beyond, and the situation is becoming more and more a busy new centre of enterprise. WENTWORTH-AVENUE (100 feet wide), to connect with Oxford-street, which it is anticipated will be opened through about 1911, and proposed extended widening of Elizabeth-street, should enhance the prominence of these Sites.

50 YEARS' LEASES.
GEORGE-STREET WEST.
The remaining 7 Lots on Athlone-place area:—
Six each 20 feet frontage, depth 104 feet to 111 feet; one at 17 feet 11½ inches frontage, depth about 111 feet. The Building Covenant to each is £700.

REMEMBER 50 YEARS' LEASES.
and Purchasers fix the Annual Rental to abide the same for the full term. No grading up as time proceeds.

AUCTION SALE AT THE ROOMS, 98 PITT-STREET, on MONDAY, 4th APRIL, AT 11.30.
All Measurements Subject to Deposited Plan.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD., RAINE AND HORNE.
THOMAS H. NESBITT, Town Clerk.

RATHLIN ESTATE, PETERSHAM.
in good Building Sites,
SATURDAY, 9th APRIL,
on the Ground at 3 p.m.
TITLE will be TORRENS. EASY TERMS.
Lithos preparing.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (4951)

COMBINED AUCTION SALE.

REAL ESTATE.
ROYAL EXCHANGE,
PITT AND BRIDGE STREETS, SYDNEY.
Under auspices
WESTERN SUBURBS REAL ESTATE AGENTS' ASSOCIATION.
TUESDAY, 15th MARCH, AT 11.30 A.M.

1. COOGEE.
VALUABLE BUILDING ALLOTMENT, facing Brook-street, near Perouse-street, having a frontage of 47ft by a depth of 200ft (about). TITLE, TORRENS.
Selling Agents, HEIGHWAY and HIGGS, ASHFIELD.

2. STRATHFIELD.
On account of Absentee Owner.
MODERN BRICK COTTAGE, known as Chevy Chase, having a frontage of 50ft to Robert-street, and containing 4 large rooms, kitchen, pantry, bathroom, and all offices, front and back verandahs. TITLE, TORRENS.

3. HOMEBUSH.
WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE, known as Eltville, Bridge-street, situated near Flemington Saleyards, and containing 5 rooms, kitchen, and all offices, let at 10s per week. At rear of the above and facing Coventry-road is a W.B. Cottage of 3 rooms, kitchen, etc., let at 5s per week. The Land has a frontage of 66ft to Bridge-street by a depth of 254 to 300 feet to Coventry-road. TITLE, TORRENS.
Selling Agents, Lots 2 and 3,
ORTON BROS., STRATHFIELD.

4. LEICHHARDT.
BRICK COTTAGE, No. 28 Excelsior-street, containing 3 rooms, kitchen, etc. Let at £30 16s per annum. Land, 16 x 80 (about). TITLE, TORRENS.

5. MENANGLE.
DAIRY FARM.
MENANGLE, on the rich river flats of the Nepean, with a frontage to permanent deep water, and on the opposite side of the famous Camden Park Estate.
THIS IDEAL DAIRY FARM, known as SPRINGFIELDS, now in occupation of C. A. Jacob, Esq., is only ½-mile from the railway station, and one mile from Butter Factory, and comprises an area of 130 acres, subdivided into suitable paddocks, wire-netted and highly improved.
IRRIGATION.—A feature of this attractive Farm is the up-to-date Irrigation Plant connected with the river, and an inexhaustible supply of water.
BUILDINGS.—The Dwelling contains 6 rooms and the usual offices. The outbuildings include stabling, haysheds, milking sheds, and every essential incident to a modern Dairy Farm.
LAND.—The whole of the property is equal to any cultivation land in the surrounding district, while the rich river flats are noted specially for the production of most luxuriant crops of maize and lucerne.
Selling Agent, Lots 4 and 5,
C. H. CRAMMOND, PETERSHAM.

6. ASHFIELD.
BRICK COTTAGE, known as Pyrmont Villa, Pyrmont-street, off Queen-street, containing fine hall, drawing-room 24 x 15, dining-room 15 x 15 (folding doors), 5 good bedrooms, and two detached rooms, kitchen, and all offices. All the rooms have 12ft ceilings, and the internal fittings are of the best.
The Land has a frontage of 76ft to Pyrmont-street, by a through depth of 226ft to Robert-street.
The Cottage is most faithfully built, and is for positive sale under instructions from widow of late owner. TITLE, TORRENS.
Selling Agents, Lot 6,
J. A. SOMERVILLE and CO., ASHFIELD.
FURTHER PARTICULARS CAN BE OBTAINED FROM THE AGENTS CONCERNED.

CHATSWOOD.

CHOICE RESIDENTIAL SITES, ON THE HEIGHTS, Handy to Chatswood and Artarmon Stations.

116ft 6½in frontage to Orchard-road, adjoining Lyncroft, the Residence of Andy Robertson Esq., by depth of about 160ft. Also, opposite Lyncroft, corner Block, fronting Orchard-road and Nelson-street, 132ft, with varying depths from 120 x 158 ft. Title Torrens.

HUGH DUFF and CO. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at their Salerooms, 283 George-street on THURSDAY, 17th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m., as above.

WAHROONGA,
4 MINUTES FROM STATION,
SPLENDID RESIDENTIAL SITE, 5 Acres,
close to Alfred Hordern, Esq.,
3 Acres cleared, fenced, and planted with assorted fruit trees (2 years' growth), also shrubs, fronting
BUNDARRA-AVENUE, WOONOONA-AVENUE, MILLEWA-AVENUE.

HUGH DUFF and CO. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at their SALEROOMS, 283 GEORGE-STREET, on THURSDAY, 17th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m., as above.

KILLARA,
CORNER OF HIGH AND NORFOLK STREETS,
SPLENDID BUILDING SITE,
having a frontage of 330ft to High-street by a depth along Norfolk-street of 280ft. On the Land is W.B. Room (24 x 14). All fenced.

HUGH DUFF and CO. have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their SALEROOMS, 283 GEORGE-STREET, on THURSDAY, 17th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.

POSITIVE SALE, TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.

J. B. JOHNSTON AND CO. have been instructed to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, George-street, Windsor, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 12th, at 2.30 p.m.

All that Parcel of Land, situated in the Parish of Londonderry, and County of Cumberland, containing one hundred and twenty-seven acres three roods.
Having a large frontage to the permanent waters of the South Creek, and also a frontage to the Blacktown-road.

The Property is fenced and subdivided, about sixty acres cultivation land, the balance good grazing.
There is a substantial Residence and Outbuildings upon the property, all of which are in first-class order.

TORRENS TITLE.

TERMS AT SALE.

INSPECTION INVITED.

J. B. JOHNSTON and CO. sell at their Rooms, George-street, Windsor, at 2.30 p.m. SATURDAY, March 12, IMPROVED PROPERTY, 37½ Acres of Land, one and a half mile from Windsor, and Mulgrave Railway station, Residence, 9 rooms, brick and cement, verandah 3 sides, bathroom, underground tank, dam, 2 acres poultry runs, ½ acre each, kitchen and flower garden, virgin soil, splendid view of surrounding country and Blue Mountains.
Inspection invited.
Write us.
We drive to inspect.

SMITH Premier Typewriter, No. 4, second-hand, £8. Worth more. Inspect. Stott and Hoare, Moore-st.

OUR GUNMETAL WATCH at 7s 6d is marvellous value. Brace and Walsh, 508 George-st.

MONA EXTENSION EST., with extensive views of the Harbour, for Sale, THIS DAY. R. and H.

NEXT SATURDAY,

ON THE GROUND,

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE HON. SIR JOHN SEE, M.L.C.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.

URARA ESTATE, LONG BAY,

50 CHOICE LOTS,

EACH 33 FEET BY FROM 165 TO 107 FEET DEEP.

NOTE THE ALTERED TERMS—

20 PER CENT. DEPOSIT, BALANCE IN 3 EQUAL YEARLY PAYMENTS AT 5 PER CENT. INTEREST.

HARDIE AND GORMAN,

AUCTIONEERS.

HARDIE AND GORMAN,

PROPERTY AUCTIONEERS, LAND AND ESTATE AGENTS,
HEAD OFFICE: 133 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
BRANCHES AT NORTH SYDNEY: Milson's Point Arcade.
BONDI JUNCTION (Waverley): The Gardens Corner.

CITY, SUBURBAN, & COUNTRY PROPERTIES

OFFERED AT AUCTION
EVERY WEDNESDAY, in the SALEROOMS, 133 PITT-STREET.
SUBDIVISION SALES conducted on the Ground on Saturday Afternoons, or at other times.
VALUATIONS MADE for Probate, Mortgage, Resumption, or other purposes.
ALL CLASSES OF PROPERTIES LET, RENTS COLLECTED, and Accounts Rendered Promptly. Repairs attended to.
FIRE INSURANCES EFFECTED, saving trouble to Owners, and providing against possible Fire Risks.
AND THE GENERAL MANAGEMENT OF PROPERTIES UNDERTAKEN.
REGISTERS OF PROPERTIES "FOR SALE" AND "TO LET" ISSUED FREE.

DON'T MISS THIS CHANCE

THIS AFTERNOON
OF SECURING THESE SITES.
DUDLEY HEIGHTS ESTATE,
COOGEE.

FRONTAGES TO DUDLEY, HOWARD, SULLY, AND MAYMOTT STREETS.
FOR AUCTION SALE,
ON THE GROUND,
AT 3 O'CLOCK.

W. DAY, Local Agent, Coogee. HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

CHOICE SITES—COOGEE.
HANDY TO TRAM.

LOT 1.—MELODY-STREET, facing down Dudley-street, close to Hampstead Park, LOT 5, Hampstead Heights Estate, 40 feet to Melody-street by 150ft deep, Torrens Title.
LOT 2.—CHATHAM-STREET (between Luke-street and Carrington-road), LOTS 10 and 11, McLegrie's Estate, each 40 feet to Chatham-street by about 121 feet, Title Torrens. Plans at Sale Rooms.
AUCTION SALE, THIS DAY, 5th MARCH, 1910, after the Sale of the Dudley Heights Estate.

HARDIE AND GORMAN, AUCTIONEERS.

VERY HIGH SPOT, adjoining the Reservoir.
HOWARD-STREET, COOGEE.
OPPOSITE DUDLEY HEIGHTS ESTATE.
LOTS 15 and 16 GRANDVIEW ESTATE, 121 feet 10in to HOWARD-STREET by 175 feet deep on one side along a Reserve (33 feet wide), and 185 feet on the other side, as per plan on view at the Salerooms.
A FINE BUILDING BLOCK FOR THE ERECTION OF A GOOD RESIDENCE.
THIS DAY,
after the Sale of the Dudley Heights Estate.

HARDIE AND GORMAN, Auctioneers, 133 Pitt-street.

COOGEE.
HANDY TO THE GLORIOUS BEACH,
close to tram, and having grand ocean views.

A FINE CORNER SITE,
DUDLEY AND MOUNT STREETS,
132 FEET to DUDLEY-STREET.
165 FEET along MOUNT-STREET.
Title, Freehold.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with W. DAY, Coogee) will sell the above by public auction
THIS AFTERNOON,
after the Sale of Dudley Heights Estate.

By order of the Church of England Property Trustees.

BISHOPSCOURT ESTATE,
RANDWICK-COOGEE,
including
THE HISTORIC MANSION FOR SO MANY YEARS PAST OCCUPIED AS THE EPISCOPAL RESIDENCE OF THE ARCHBISHOP OF SYDNEY,
AND ABOUT 33½ ACRES.

BISHOPSCOURT is a CHARMING RESIDENCE, built in the old English style of Architecture, with a Gothic feeling. It is approached by a long carriage drive, and stands snugly sheltered among fine stately old trees, through which beautiful glimpses of Coogee and the ocean are obtained.
THE HOUSE is specially well suited for the residence of a retired country gentleman or business man who desires to live in quiet and restfulness away from the busy city, yet within only about half an hour's drive of the metropolis.
THE GROUNDS surrounding the house are nicely laid out in lawns, paths, and flower beds, and if the whole area is not required about 7 acres could be retained with the residence, and the balance sold off in subdivision, offering an exceptional chance for the speculator or builder.
THE RESIDENCE is most substantially built of stone, and brick, with shingle roof, and contains the following accommodation:—Verandahs and balconies (very wide), tiled entrance hall, drawing-room, morning-room, dining-room, study, library, chapel.
UPSTAIRS, approached by wide cedar staircase, are:—11 bedrooms, two of which open on to balcony, smoking-room, dressing-room, 2 bathrooms, linen-press, and boxroom.
THE DOMESTIC OFFICES, opening off tiled corridor, comprise:—Servants' hall, kitchen with large range, pantries, dairy, wine cellar, scullery, laundry, with man's room upstairs.
At a considerable remove are stone stables of 3 stalls, coachhouse, loft over, and cottage of 4 rooms. Also cow bails.

THE LAND is about 33½ acres in area, with extensive frontages to CARRINGTON-ROAD, SUSAN-STREET, and small frontages to DIVISION, MOUNT, and FERN STREETS, as per plan on view at the Sale Rooms.

TORRENS TITLE.

Messrs. NORTON, SMITH, and CO., O'Connell-street, Solicitors to the Trustees.

Cards to View from the Auctioneers.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the Trustees to sell by Public Auction, at their Sale Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on NEXT WEDNESDAY, 9th MARCH, 1910,
BISHOPSCOURT HOUSE and GROUNDS, at RANDWICK or COOGEE.

NOTE.—The Residence is in splendid decorative repair inside and out, a considerable sum having been recently expended. The fittings throughout the house are of exceptionally fine Cedar. The proposed extension of the TRAM to Little Coogee, and the proposed construction of an EASTERN SUBURBS RAILWAY, when carried out, will LARGELY INCREASE THE VALUE OF THIS ESTATE.

Should the purchaser of Bishopscourt desire to purchase the unsold blocks in the original adjoining subdivision fronting Alison and Brook streets, the auctioneers will be pleased to supply particulars.

IN THE ESTATE OF JULIAN L. MOORE, ESQ., Deceased.

By order of the Administratrix, to close accounts.

LOT 1.—NEUTRAL BAY.—A BEAUTIFUL POSITION, VERY WIDE RANGE OF HARBOUR VIEWS.—A DESIRABLE RESIDENCE, built of brick, with slate roof, known as "CRAGMOOR," fronting RAYMOND-ROAD, CLOSE TO THE TRAM. It contains tiled verandah, hall, 3 reception rooms, 6 bedrooms, wide balcony, bathroom, pantry, storeroom, kitchen, laundry, W.B. shed, garden, etc. LAND, 94½ft to RAYMOND-ROAD x depths of 201ft and 217ft to a road at rear, to which it has a frontage of 75ft. Title Leasehold, having about 69 years to run at a ground rent of £36 per annum.
LOT 2, NORTH SYDNEY.—A FREEHOLD COTTAGE, known as No. 393 MILLER-STREET, brick, built with tiled roof, containing tiled verandah, hall, 6 rooms, pantry, bathroom, kitchen, and laundry. Let to Mr. Wyld at 20s weekly. LAND, 35½ft to MILLER-STREET x 132ft.
LOT 3, NORTH SYDNEY.—A FREEHOLD COTTAGE, known as "YOOROOGA," No. 390 MILLER-STREET, brick, built with tiled roof, containing hall, 6 rooms, pantry, kitchen, bathroom, and laundry. Let to Miss Fagan at 20s per week. LAND, 30ft 8in to MILLER-STREET x 132ft.
THERE TWO COTTAGES are situate on the West side of Miller-street, between Ernest and Rosalind sts. The Suspension Bridge Tram passes the property.
Messrs. Holdsworth and Son, Solicitors, 75 Pitt-street.
AUCTION SALE in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, NEXT WEDNESDAY, 9th MARCH, 1910, at 11.30 a.m.

HARDIE AND GORMAN, AUCTIONEERS.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.

433 BOURKE-STREET, SURRY HILLS,
OPPOSITE SHORT-STREET.

MANILA HOUSE.
COMMODIOUS FAMILY RESIDENCE, built of Stone and Brick, with slate roof, containing tiled verandah and hall.
ON THE GROUND FLOOR are 7 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, scullery, laundry.
ON THE FIRST FLOOR, 7 bedrooms, bathroom.
ON THE SECOND FLOOR, 4 bedrooms.
AT REAR are extensive Stables and Coachhouse and Loose-boxes.
THE LAND has a frontage of 59ft 2in to Bourke-street by a depth on the south side of 196ft 6in and 210ft on the north side, with an entrance to Little Bourke-street of 50ft at the rear.
THE PROPERTY is most substantially built and in good order. A large portion of the land is available for the extension of building.
Cards to view must be obtained from the Auctioneers.
TITLE TORRENS.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with WALKER BROS.) have received instructions from the Trustees to sell by Public Auction, at the Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on NEXT WEDNESDAY, 9th MARCH, 1910.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.

HENLEY, WATER FRONTAGE,
ON THE PARRAMATTA RIVER, right at the Steamer Wharf, at the Corner of Dick and Sherwin streets.

CHARMING RESIDENCE, known as "ASKANIA," late "ALWINA," STANDING IN PRETTY PLEASURE GROUNDS of about 3 ACRES (close on to 300ft Water Frontage).

The RESIDENCE is built of brick, with verandahs front and rear, and contains on the ground floor 9ft hall, drawing, dining, and reception rooms, large kitchen, scullery, pantry, servants' rooms; on the 1st FLOOR spacious landing, 4 bedrooms, enclosed balcony; in TOWER, bathroom and another room; in the BASEMENT, smoking-room and 2 large storerooms. Lately occupied by the German Consul.
The Outbuildings are:—Brick Garage and 2 rooms, workshop.
On the WATER FRONTAGE are Boathouse and Swimming Bath.

Cards to view on application.
TITLE TORRENS.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with WALKER BROS.) have received instructions from the Trustees to sell by Public Auction, at the Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on NEXT WEDNESDAY, 9th MARCH, 1910.
The above-described WATER-FRONTAGE RESIDENCE, HENLEY, PARRAMATTA RIVER.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM WILLIAM HARRINGTON PALMER, Esq., OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE.

In the Bankrupt Estate of Messrs. J. B. and C. S. Jones, deceased.

FERNHILL ESTATE, FERNHILL,
handy to Fernhill Railway Station.
The following Allotments in Section 3:—
LOTS 3, 4, and 5, each 40ft to Short-street by 125ft deep.
LOT 6, 53ft 4½in to Short-street, by about 125 feet deep, 20ft at rear.
LOTS 9, 10, and 11, each 49ft 6½in to Crinan-street, by depths of from 195ft 6in to 130ft 8in.
LOT 12, 73ft 6½in to Crinan-street, by 196ft 6in on one side and 20ft at rear.
Plan on view at the Sale Rooms.
TITLE TORRENS.
T. Maughan Kemmis, Esq., 163 Phillip-street, Solicitor to the Official Assignee.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from William Harrington Palmer, Esq., Official Assignee, to sell the above by public auction, at their Sale Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 o'clock on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 9th MARCH, 1909.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM WILLIAM HARRINGTON PALMER, Esq., Official Assignee.
In the Bankrupt Estate of Messrs. J. B. and C. S. JONES, deceased.

LEICHHARDT.

2 COTTAGES, Nos. 30 and 32 FLOOD-STREET, built of brick, each 2 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse; let at 4/ per week each.
LAND 40ft x 124ft through to George-street, at rear.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.
T. Maughan Kemmis, 163 Phillip-street, Solicitor to the Official Assignee.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from William Harrington Palmer, Esq., Official Assignee, to sell the above by Public Auction, at the Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 9th MARCH, 1910.

FOR IMPERATIVE SALE.

WAVERLEY HEIGHTS,
in a most select locality, with easterly aspect, overlooking the ocean, 1 minute from tram,
"COORALIE," EVANS-STREET.
A WELL-APPOINTED and SOLIDLY-CONSTRUCTED Detached Double-fronted COTTAGE, of brick (cemented) on stone foundations, slate roof, containing: Wide hall, large drawing and dining rooms (folding doors), and 4 good bedrooms (all exceptionally lofty), kitchen, bathroom, pantry, laundry, enclosed back verandah, Venetian blinds throughout.
Recently installed with hot water service (copper) at a cost of £40.
LAND 46½ feet x 132 feet. Freehold Title.
Key can be obtained from either Auctioneers.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with ALLDIS and CO., Ltd.) will sell the above by public auction, in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on NEXT WEDNESDAY, 9th MARCH, 1910.

TO SPECULATORS AND BUILDERS.
NORTH SYDNEY,
LANE COVE-ROAD, near West-street, 1d Tram Section.
LAND.—About 150ft frontage x about 100ft deep, along a Lane on one side, and about 156ft 9in deep on other side, upon which is erected "SHEEN VILLA," Brick Cottage (on stone), 7 rooms, kitchen (gas and fuel stoves), bathroom, maids' room, man's room, extensive stabling.
TORRENS TITLE.
N.B.—100ft frontage available for other Buildings.
AUCTION SALE at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY, 16th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.

HARDIE AND GORMAN, Auctioneers.

REDFERN.
No. 87 REDFERN-STREET, known as VENTNOR COTTAGE, between Castlereagh and Pitt streets.
COTTAGE (brick, lath and plaster), 4 rooms, kitchen, detached bathroom, washhouse (concrete floors), and small room. Water and sewerage connected.
LAND, 25ft x 100ft deep. Freehold Title.
FOR AUCTION SALE, at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, WEDNESDAY, 16th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.

HARDIE AND GORMAN, Auctioneers.

BY ORDER OF THE PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, LIMITED,
Trustees in the Estate of the late D. J. Bartlett, Esq.

"ABBOTSFORD,"
One of the very best Residences in one of the finest Positions WITH WATER FRONTAGE, at
MOSMAN,
RIGHT ON THE BOLD HEADLAND AT THE ENTRANCE TO MOSMAN BAY, at the SOUTHERN END of RAGLAN-STREET, HANDY TO MUSGRAVE-STREET WHARF, and COMMANDING GRAND RANGE of HARBOUR VIEWS.

A SOLIDLY-BUILT STONE HOUSE, with roof of best slates, standing in well-kept pleasure grounds.
THE ACCOMMODATION COMPRISES:—
Verandahs (tiled) and Balconies on three sides.
ON THE GROUND FLOOR are:—Tiled Entrance Hall, right through; Drawing-room, Dance-room, Dining-room, Sewing-room, Kitchen, large Scullery, large Pantry, with Washhouse and Coalhouse under.
ON THE ½-LANDING ARE:—Bathroom, Linen-room, 2 good bedrooms, with lovely harbour views.
Two maids' rooms and box-room in attic. Coach-house, 2-stall stable, feedroom and man's-room.
ON THE FIRST FLOOR ARE:—5 Bedrooms.
Detached W.B. Stable and Coachhouse, and Man's Room.
THE WATER FRONTAGE TO LITTLE SIRIUS COVE has been reclaimed, and stone wall with swimming bath, bathing-house, and boathouse erected at a very considerable cost.

LAND, ABOUT 1 ACRE 20 PERCHES IN EXTENT. 170 feet to RAGLAN-STREET by a depth of 238 feet on one side, and 348 feet 5 inches on the other through to the Water.

TITLE TORRENS.

Inspection by Card only, to be obtained from the Auctioneers. Photo. at the Salerooms.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, LTD., to sell by Public Auction, at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1910,
"ABBOTSFORD," AT MOSMAN.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

DRUMMOYNE.—CAREY-STREET.
A fine elevated position, with open outlook, embracing extensive views of the River and District, one minute from tram stop.

"BRAY," a DETACHED 2-STORY RESIDENCE, solidly built of stone, tiled roof, having 5 rooms, kitchen, washhouse (tubs and copper), bath, fernery, balcony, etc., back and side entrances.
LAND 20 feet to CAREY-STREET, by 100 feet deep along a lane to ROSEBY-STREET, at rear. Title Torrens.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell the above by public auction, at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1910.
Messrs. BUCHANAN and SMITHERS, 2 Hunter-street, Mortgagee's Solicitors.

FOR POSITIVE SALE UNDER SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS.
GOSFORD DISTRICT, 4½ MILES FROM THE RAILWAY STATION.
FRONTAGE TO THE BRISBANE WATER.
"GONITOR," GOSFORD.

16½ Acres Orchard and Garden Land; 6 acres laid out with best varieties Citrus and other trees, young and in good order. W.B. Cottage, 5 rooms, and kitchen. All necessary outbuildings.
DELIGHTFUL VIEWS AND PLEASANT SURROUNDINGS.
GOOD SOIL AND RAINFALL.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with F. J. HOLDSWORTH, Agent, Gosford) have received instructions to submit to Public Auction, at the Rooms, 133 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16th, 1910, AT 11.30 A.M.,
The above-described property.
Full particulars on application to the Auctioneers.

By Order of the Trustees in the Estate of the late G. H. WOOLCOTT, Esq.

WATER FRONTAGE—BERRY'S BAY,
NORTH SYDNEY,
5 minutes from tram and Lavender Bay Boat, and handy to Train at Bay-road Station.
"TYNCLIFF," WATER FRONTAGE RESIDENCE, built of stone (in main) and weatherboard, and containing 9 rooms, kitchen, laundry, bathroom, pantry, and other offices.
LAND has an AREA of NEARLY 1 ACRE, and is laid out in Gardens, etc., with frontage to UNION and CLIFTON STREETS.
THE HOUSE is occupied by Mrs. Purbes, on a monthly tenancy.
TITLE FREEHOLD.

F. W. Walker, Esq., Castlereagh-street, Solicitor to the Estate.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell the above by public auction, at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, 16th MARCH, 1910.

FOR IMPERATIVE SALE.
A FINE BLOCK FOR A BUILDER.
NORTH SYDNEY, GRANTHAM-STREET
BEAUTIFUL HARBOUR VIEWS.
164 feet to GRANTHAM-STREET by a depth of 100 feet through to BRISBANE-STREET, to which it has a frontage of 164 feet.
On the Block is a 2-STORY RESIDENCE known as "CAMERRA," having verandah (back and front), entrance hall, 10 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, boxroom, and all offices. Gas, water, and sewerage connected. Title, Freehold.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with McMURDO BROS.) will sell the above by public auction, at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, WEDNESDAY, 16th MARCH, 1910.
Messrs. ROBSON and COWLISHAW, 164 Pitt-street, Solicitors for Owner.

PADDINGTON-STREET, PADDINGTON,
On the South Side, between Elizabeth-street and Jersey-road, almost opposite the Church of Christ.

BUILDING SITE, 38 feet to PADDINGTON-STREET by 100 feet deep on one side, 25 feet 1 inch at rear.
TITLE FREEHOLD. Plan at the Salerooms.
Messrs. DIBBS, PARKER, and PARKER, 92 Pitt-street, Vendor's Solicitors.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above by Public Auction, at their Sale Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 16th MARCH, 1910.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES,
CITY.

VICTORIA ROYAL HOTEL,
Situate at the CORNER of FRANCIS and HARGRAVES (late Chapman-street) STREETS and MARGARET LANE AT REAR.
Built of Stone and Brick, iron roof, contg., Bar, 15 Rooms, Bathroom, etc., let to Hugh O'Connor.

LAND, 30 feet to Francis-street and 80 feet to and along Hargraves-street and Margaret-lane at the rear.

Mortgagees' Solicitors: Messrs. Stephen, Jaques, and Stephen, O'Connell-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the Mortgagees to sell by public auction, at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 23rd MARCH, 1910.
The above described property.

SMALL CITY INVESTMENT.
WOOLLOOMOOLOO, CROWN-STREET,
between Chapel-street and Berwick-lane on the east side, No. 178, 2-STORY HOUSE, of brick and stone, with iron roof, having verandah, balcony, hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, washhouse, etc.
ALSO AT REAR, FRONTING WOODS-LANE, COTTAGE, known as No. 9, built of brick and stone, iron roof, and having 4 rooms, kitchen, etc., let at 8s per week.
LAND 17 feet to CROWN-STREET by 97 feet 7 inches deep to WOODS-LANE at rear.
ARTHUR DEERY, Esq., 109 Pitt-street, Vendor's Solicitor.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell the above by public auction, at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, 23rd MARCH, 1910.

LEICHHARDT, NORTON-STREET.
Close to Parramatta-road and Tram Stop,
EXCELLENT BUILDING SITE,
66 FEET to NORTON-STREET,
115 FEET along THE AVENUE,
126 FEET on other side. Lane at rear.
Title Torrens.
This is about the only available Site in this position.
H. J. ASPINALL, Esq., Solr. St. James'-chas., King-st.
AUCTION SALE in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, 23rd MARCH, 1910.

HARDIE AND GORMAN, Auctioneers.

CHATSWOOD,
within easy distance of the Railway Station.
A FINE SUBDIVISION BLOCK, comprising an area of about 12½ ACRES, with a frontage to CENTENNIAL-AVENUE, off Gordon-road, of about 1467 feet 4 inches, by depths varying from 468 feet 7 inches to 270 feet 8 inches.
Plan of proposed Subdivision may be inspected at the Auctioneers' Office.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell the above by public auction, in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, 23rd MARCH, 1910.

HEILBRONN ESTATE, MOUNT DRUITT.

UNDER SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO SELL.
BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES
IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE WILLIAM FREDERICK EMERT.

484½ ACRES. TORRENS TITLE.
In 2 Farms of 225½ acres and 259 acres, or in one line.
Parklike and Picturesque.
Partly Timbered. Well Fenced.
Abundantly Grassed and Watered.
CLOSE TO ST. MARYS STOCK SALEYARDS,
1 MILE FROM MOUNT DRUITT RAILWAY STATION,
2½ MILES FROM ROOTY HILL RAILWAY STATION, 27 MILES FROM SYDNEY.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to submit to Public Auction, in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, Sydney, on
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30th, 1910,
AT 11.30 A.M.,
The above-described property.

Messrs. ROBBERDS and ENGLAND, 2 Martin-place, Solicitors to the Estate.

Full particulars on application.
Inspection by Arrangement.
We specially draw the attention of Farmers, Stock Owners, and Dealers to this Sale. The Property is particularly well situated, and possesses distinct advantages.

TO FARMERS, STOCKOWNERS, STUD BREEDERS, CATTLE DEALERS, AND OTHERS.
"ROCKWOOD ESTATE," CAMPBELLTOWN,
ON THE APPIN ROAD, 6 miles from Campbelltown, 3½ miles from Menangle.
471 ACRES, R.P. ACT.
Agricultural, Dairying, and Grazing Land. A compact block of country, undulating to level. Well watered and improved, having large and commodious homestead, stables, barn, dairy, and all necessary outbuildings. Good supply of timber. Subdivided into 9 well-grassed paddocks and convenient cultivation areas.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with W. Larkin, Auctioneer, Picton) have received instructions from the owner, A. Bruce Hume, Esq., to submit to Public Auction, at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, Sydney,
on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30, 1910, at 11.30 a.m.,
THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED PROPERTY.

Full particulars on application to the Auctioneers.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE LATE MRS. ELIZA JACKSON.
MANLY AND MOORE PARK.
LOT 1, MANLY.—A UNIQUE BUSINESS POSITION, close to the Wharf, Pier Hotel, and Bank, and fronting the CORSO, WHISTLER and GILBERT STREETS, having the following measurements:—
72ft 6in to THE CORSO,
18ft 3in to GILBERT-STREET,
118ft to WHISTLER-STREET.
UPON WHICH ARE ERECTED W.B. BUILDINGS, USED AS SHOPS, and occupied by Messrs. Phillips and Gordon, Rubinsohn, J. B. Meyer, A. Phillips, and R. E. Adrian; the whole producing £319 YEARLY.
The Tenants Paying all Taxes.
Plan on view at the Rooms.

LOT 2, FLINDERS-STREET, MOORE PARK.
No. 158, 1 door from SELWYN-STREET, right at the Tram Stop, BRICK HOUSE, slate roof, verandah and balcony, 5 rooms, kitchen, W.B. laundry, bathroom, workshop, etc. Lawn and Garden.
LAND 25 feet to FLINDERS-STREET, by 116 feet on one side, and 121 feet on the other, 9ft to SELWYN-STREET, and 17ft to reserved Lane at rear. Title Freehold.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with J. Horne) have received instructions from the TRUSTEES to sell by public auction, at the Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 6th APRIL, 1910.
The above-described valuable Properties at MANLY and MOORE PARK.

H. E. McIntosh, Esq., of Challis House, Martin-place, Solicitor for the Estate.

RIGHT AT
THE CENTRAL RAILWAY STATION.

A PRETENTIOUS CITY SITE,
AT THE CORNER OF
PITT-STREET
AND RAWSON-PLACE
(100ft wide).

RIPE FOR IMMEDIATE UTILISATION.

Occupying a truly bold and commanding position, in the very hum of what is fast becoming a GREAT BUSINESS CENTRE.

AUCTION SALE.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE OWNER,
A. E. DAKING-SMITH, Esq.,
on account of his intended early departure for Europe, who, in consequence, is reluctantly compelled to abandon his original intention to build most modern and suitable business premises.

THE LAND,
SURROUNDED BY STREETS AND LANES,
THUS OPEN ON FOUR SIDES, possesses the following frontages:—
74ft 6in to PITT-STREET,
144ft 7½in to RAWSON-PLACE
(100ft wide),
130ft 6in along a Lane on one side, and
58ft 11½in along a Lane on the other side,
and comprises Lots 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, and 19, Section 1,
OF THE CENTRAL RAILWAY APPROACHES SUBDIVISION.

The Corner of Pitt-street and Rawson-place has been rounded off in order to suit the requirements of the City Council, and those of the Railway Commissioners for Tramway purposes.

TITLE FREEHOLD.

Messrs. HOLDSWORTH and SON, Solicitors, 75 Pitt-street.

THE POSITION IS UNEQUALLED.

SITUATE RIGHT AT
THE CENTRAL RAILWAY STATION.

Thousands of passengers hourly pass throughout the day, and
SURROUNDED BY TRAMS
coming from all quarters of the City and Suburbs.

THIS MAGNIFICENT VACANT BLOCK
offers unusual and particularly unique facilities for the immediate erection of
SHOP AND BUSINESS PREMISES,
A THEATRE, PALACE OF ENTERTAINMENT,
UP-TO-DATE RESIDENTIAL QUARTERS,
OR LARGE EMPORIUM.

It is hard to imagine, and almost impossible to secure, a Site in the City of Sydney which, owing to its position is so certain to enhance in value year by year as the land now offered—Old World experiences point to this. Lands adjacent to the Great Railway Stations in all parts of Europe have increased in value much beyond the most sanguine calculations, resulting in immense profits to original purchasers.

Plan on view at the Rooms of the Auctioneers, 133 Pitt-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20, 1910,
The above-described VALUABLE CITY SITE.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
LEICHHARDT, No. 107 Francis-street.—BRICK COTTAGE, 4 rooms, land 20 feet by depth 100 feet to lane at rear. TORRENS TITLE.

J. E. GREEN and CO. have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 119 PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, 17th MARCH, at 11.30 o'clock, the above.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

PARRAMATTA NORTH.

BLOCK OF LAND, in area about 71 ac. 2 roods and 34 perches, having 1798 lks. frontage to a chain road, 710 lks. frontage to a chain road, and 688 lks. to a chain road, back line 1639 lks., being LOT 4, PARISH OF ST. JOHN, together with BUILDINGS and IMPROVEMENTS thereon, at present occupied by Mrs. Jordan. TITLE TORRENS.

J. E. GREEN and CO. have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 119 PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, 17th MARCH, at 11.30 o'clock,
The above.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE RICHARD ROUSE TERRY, TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.

PARRAMATTA, WESTERN-ROAD.—2 Brick COTTAGES, Connabella (let at £39 per ann.) and Dundathu (let at £36 per ann.), each 5 rooms, etc. Land having frontage of about 55 feet each, with depth through to King-street at rear.

PARRAMATTA, SORRELL-STREET.—Brick COTTAGE, at present occupied by Mr. Cook, containing 6 rms., etc., let at £19 10s per annum. Land, about 74 feet frontage by about 170 feet deep to lane at rear.

PARRAMATTA, SHORT-STREET.—W.B. COTTAGE, at present occupied by Mr. M'Afferty, 4 rooms, kitchen, etc., let at £20 16s per annum. Land, about 68 feet by depth about 157 feet to lane at rear.

PARRAMATTA, HUNTER and MARSDEN STREETS.—Corner Block of LAND, about 204 feet frontage to Hunter-street, about 79 feet frontage to Marsden-street, with depth about 125 feet.

PARRAMATTA, RAILWAY-STREET and PITT-ROW.—Corner BLOCK of LAND, 315 feet to Railway-street x 193 feet to Pitt-row, being Lots 64 to 69, Sec. 5, portion of Meehan's 100 ac.

PARRAMATTA, RAILWAY-STREET, near Sydney-road.—BLOCK OF LAND, having 220 feet frontage by a depth of 120 to 146 feet, being Lots 12 to 15, Sec. 5, portion of Meehan's 100 acres.

PARRAMATTA, PEMBERTON GRANGE ESTATE.—Lots 8 and 9, in area about 7ac. 0r. 17per., having frontage to Thomas-street, with depth along Pemberton-street.

AUBURN, SHORT and JUNCTION STREETS.—W.B. COTTAGE, 4 rooms, land being Lot 11, Sec. 5A, Newington Est.

ROOKWOOD, VAUGHAN-STREET.—Block of BUILDING LAND, having frontage 125ft 7in by depth 170ft (close to Joseph-street).

PRETTY BLOCK of 20 Acres, being Lots 1 and 2, parish of Gullongulong, together with Buildings thereon.

J. E. GREEN and CO. have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 119 PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, 17th MARCH, at 11.30 o'clock,
The above-described Properties.

MONA EXTENSION EST., comprising the best building land on the Point, THIS DAY. R. and H.

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AUCTION SALES.

AT WOY WOY, ON EASTER SATURDAY.

Arrange to go to Woy Woy on Easter Saturday. Hundreds of others will be there attending our auction at Pretty Beach Point, Wagstaffe, on that day, commencing at 2.30 p.m. We will offer on the ground some hundred allotments on

PRETTY BEACH ESTATE.

It fronts a beautiful half-moon beach of hard sand. The estate is sheltered from all heavy winds—is a delightful week-end spot the year round. From the back of the estate (which is elevated), within 5 minutes' walk of the jetty, may be had glorious views of Manly, Newport, Brisbane Water, and Woy Woy.

50 WATER FRONTAGE BLOCKS.

Some 50 Water-frontage Blocks are included—everyone a good block. The lots at the back run from two to five acres—ideal farming week-end homes. The beach is very safe—there is excellent mixed fishing to be had in front of the estate. Terms will be £1 deposit and 10s monthly for each £30 of the purchase money. Plans ready shortly. Managing Agents,

ARTHUR RICKARD AND CO., LTD.,

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"WHERE THE FAST TRAINS STOP."

RESIDENCE,

AND SEPARATELY

8 ALLOTMENTS.

In Estate Mrs. L. M. Thompson, deceased.

STRATHFIELD.—Albert-road and Oxford-street, close to the Council-chambers, and in among the many beautiful homes hereabout.

SUBDIVISION OF GLENFARNE,

for auction there, 12th March.

NEXT SATURDAY, AT 3.

The House contains 11 rooms and offices, and is solidly built of brick, slate roof, with land 125 x 228.

The Allotments are from 40 to 63 feet frontage, and over 227 feet deep.

TORRENS TITLE.

Terms: ¼ down, and rest in 2 years at 5 per cent. No interest if paid in 3 months.

Plans from

ALLDIS and CO. LTD., Auctioneers, Bondi Junction; or J. T. SHAW, Estate Agent, Strathfield.

SWIMMERS—
FISHERMEN—
BOATERS—

4 MILES FROM G.P.O.

THE LITTLE COOGEE BEACH ESTATE is your chance to Buy a Block of Ground, close to all you want in the shape of water.

60 ALLOTMENTS.
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60 ALLOTMENTS.

On both sides of this delightful Seaside Resort, and adjoining Thompson's Bay, where the fish bite.
These Big Blocks of Land are on sandy soil and nicely grassed, and shaded by beautiful ornamental trees. Come and see them.

FOR AUCTION SALE THERE,

SATURDAY, MARCH 19, AT 3.

Only 5 per cent. Deposit, and Balance in 54 equal monthly or 18 quarterly payments. Interest, 5 per cent. Discount to Cash Buyers. Torrens Title. Mr. S. E. PILE, of 146 King-street, is Solicitor.

PLANS AND BOOKLETS FROM

ALLDIS and CO., Ltd., AUCTIONEERS, BONDI JUNCTION. or W. DAY, ESTATE AGENT, COOGEE.

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THE ROSEMOUNT ESTATE. THE ROSEMOUNT ESTATE.

A BEAUTIFUL OPEN POSITION, WITH FINE VIEWS.

ONLY 5 MINUTES FROM DOVER-ROAD TRAM STOP. CLOSE TO THE GOLF LINKS.

27 CHOICE LEVEL BUILDING SITES.

FRONTAGES TO OLD SOUTH HEAD-ROAD, DOVER-ROAD, and BEAUMONT and COLLINGWOOD STS.

NEXT SATURDAY, 12th MARCH,

ON THE GROUND, AT 3 P.M.

LIBERAL TERMS. TITLE TORRENS. LIBERAL TERMS.

H. W. HORNING AND CO.,

AUCTIONEERS, 131 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

GLENBROOK PARK, GLENBROOK.
IMPORTANT MOUNTAIN LAND SALE.
ON EASTER MONDAY, MARCH 28.

WE SUBMIT TO AUCTION, AT 3 O'CLOCK, ON THE GROUND,

THIS MAGNIFICENT ESTATE.

GOOD ROADS. FINE LEVEL COTTAGE SITES. RICH SOIL.

ALSO AN 18-ACRE AND A 9-ACRE BLOCK.

ONLY QUARTER-MILE FROM GLENBROOK STATION (1 hour 10 minutes from town).

TERMS, TWO POUNDS DEPOSIT, AND 10s MONTHLY.

PIERCY ETHELL AND CO.,

AUCTIONEERS, 3 MOORE-STREET, SYDNEY.

SPECIAL RETURN TICKETS FOR SALE DAY, 2s, ON APPLICATION.

RESERVE EASTER MONDAY

FOR SALE OF

"WARATAH ESTATE," HILL TOP.

RIGHT AT THE RAILWAY STATION.

140 TOWN LOTS, 66 x 200, 18 ORCHARD LOTS, 4 TO 8 ACRES.

2030 Feet above Sea Level.

SPECIAL TRAIN TICKETS, INCLUDING LUNCH, 3/. Title Torrens. Terms for Town Lots, £2 Deposit, 10/ Monthly. Orchard Blocks, £5 Deposit, and £1 Monthly. 5 per cent. interest.

LITHOS BEING PREPARED.

HUGH DUFF and CO., Auctioneers, 283 George-street; and at Mosman and Chatswood.

DING DONG

GOES THE

BELL BIRD ESTATE,

NORTH MANLY.

86 BIG LOTS.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND,

SATURDAY, APRIL 2nd, AT 3 O'CLOCK.

THE GREAT AUSTRALIAN SITE TO MAKE MONEY. £1 DEPOSIT, £1 MONTHLY.
FREE 'BUSES, BAND, AND REFRESHMENTS.
OVERLOOKING THE BROOKVALE TRAM. HIGH, LOVELY VIEWS. GOOD METAL ROADS.
THE KING OF ESTATES. CAN NEVER BE BUILT OUT.
TO BE CLEARED OUT AT LOW PRICES.
FREE DEEDS TO CASH BUYERS (TORRENS TITLE).
Come with the crowd. A genuine sale of good land. Rates, 1 penny in the £.
No building restrictions. 2d tram to the Surf and Pier.

GET PLAN.

ARTHUR BLACKWOOD,

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THE MERRENBURN ESTATE.

In Close Proximity to Crow's Nest, and within the 2d tram section.
RESIDENCE AND PARK LANDS of the late HON. ALEXANDER DODDS.
THIS SPLENDID PROPERTY has now been SUBDIVIDED into over 3000 selling feet.
ALLOTMENTS face WILLOUGHBY-ROAD, MERRENBURN-AVENUE, and DONNELLY-STREET.
ALL ROADS 66FT WIDE. TORRENS TITLE.

TERMS OF SALE:—For Vacant Land, 10 per cent. deposit, balance by 12 equal quarterly payments at 5 per cent., with right to pay off. No interest if paid within 3 months. Special terms for House Block. Reasonable building covenant for protection of purchasers.

BATT, RODD, AND PURVES, LTD.,

IN CONJUNCTION WITH R. T. FORSYTH, OF WILLOUGHBY,

will sell the above
BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE GROUND,
ON SATURDAY NEXT, MARCH 12,
AT 3 P.M.

LITHOS. AVAILABLE.
Messrs. DODDS and RICHARDSON, 62 Hunter-street, Solicitors to the Estate.

MANLY.—AT FAIRLIGHT,

THE FAVOURITE SIDE OF THIS MARINE SUBURB.

CHOICE SITES, FRONTING COMMONWEALTH-PARADE AND LAUDERDALE-AVENUE. FREEHOLD TITLE.

PORTIONS of the Land adjoin Fairlight House and Grounds.
THE BEAUTIFUL HOMES of JAS. STEDMAN, JOHN POPE, Mrs. G. A. MURRAY, and other first-class Residences are close to the Villa Sites to be offered.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND, SATURDAY, 2nd APRIL, AT 3 P.M.

Views over the Harbour, with direct views of Ocean and both North and South Head, are simply Splendid. LITHOS. in course of preparation.

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AUCTION SALES HELD IN THE ROOMS AND ON THE GROUND.

LETTING OF HOUSES, COLLECTING OF RENTS, and ENTIRE MANAGEMENT OF PROPERTIES undertaken for TRUSTEES, ABSENTEES, and OWNERS.

OFFICES and SALEROOMS, 88 Pitt-street.
'Phone, 115 Central.
Write or Call for our "For Sale" List.

LINDFIELD,

PROGRESSIVE LINDFIELD.

LAND SYNDICATES AND SPECULATORS.

A MAGNIFICENT BLOCK FOR SUBDIVISION, close to Lindfield Station, over 300ft high. The Best Served place on the NORTH SHORE LINE. In area 46ac 0r 35p, divided by the railway line into (a) 17a 2r 5p, facing the LANE COVE-ROAD and TREATT'S-ROAD; (b) 28a 2r 30p, facing TREATT'S-ROAD and NELSON-ROAD. The two joined by Level Crossing. See Plan in Office. TORRENS TITLE.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Ltd., have been instructed to offer the above Valuable Block by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, the 15th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.

Messrs. ANDREWS, MOSELEY, and MANNING, Estate Solicitors.

POTTS POINT.

COMO, occupying one of the Unrivalled Positions on the Point, views being very extensive, and commanding both the Northern and Southern Shores of the Harbour, direct to the HEADS.

THIS WATER-FRONTAGE RESIDENCE, No. 16 WYLDE-STREET,

contains verandah and balcony, entrance hall, dining and drawing rooms, and 2 other reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, bathroom in wing, kitchen, scullery, servants' bathroom, pantry, and 2 rooms over, outbuildings comprise stabling and laundry, with loft.

LAND 96 feet frontage to WYLDE-STREET, depth of about 420 feet, extending to the waters of the Harbour, to which frontage is 75ft.

BATT, RODD, AND PURVES, LTD. (in conjunction with Messrs. RAINE and HORNE), have received instructions to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 15th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.

COMO, although an old house, is solidly built, and capable, with small expenditure, of being highly improved; while the SITE alone requires only an inspection to more than warrant the above description.

As COMO is at present occupied, Cards to view MUST be obtained from either of the Firms above.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.
Messrs. ASHER, OLD, and JONES, Solicitors for Vendor.

MOSMAN.

AUCTION SALE ON THE PREMISES,

WEDNESDAY, 16th MARCH, AT 11 A.M.
(Prior to Auction Sale of Household Furniture.)

TIVOLI, DELIGHTFULLY-SITUATED VILLA RESIDENCE, brick built, commanding permanent uninterrupted HARBOUR and OCEAN VIEWS, containing vestibule entrance, dining and drawing rooms, breakfast-room, 6 bedrooms, specially constructed bathrooms, kitchen, and extensive offices. Lawns, flower gardens, and orcahrd.
ON LAND 62FT x 220FT. TORRENS TITLE.
Also,
SIX VALUABLE ALLOTMENTS, with frontages to Spit-road, each 50FT x 220FT.

HARRY LAWSON, AUCTIONEER, 12 POST OFFICE-CHAMBERS, PITT-STREET.

SOUTH COAST DAIRY FARM,

AT

UNANDERRA.—A well-improved Property, containing 83 acres 1 rood 20 perches (Lot 26, Berkeley Estate Subdivision). Frontages to the SOUTH COAST ROAD, RAILWAY and FLAGSTAFF ROAD, and within a short distance Unanderra Railway Station, Creamery, and Post-office. A substantial W.B. Cottage, 7 rooms, milk-room, bail, sheds, barns, etc., are erected on the property, which is subdivided into 9 paddocks, is well watered, and embraces excellent Dairying Land.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Ltd. (in conjunction with O'DONNELL and STUMBLES), have been instructed by Mr. Robert Fackender to sell by Public Auction, at Messrs. O'Donnell and Stumbles' Rooms, WOLLONGONG, on
FRIDAY, 18th MARCH, at 2 p.m.,

The above Excellent Illawarra Farm.

LIBERAL TERMS at the SALE.

CROWN LAND SALE.

VILLAGE OF POINT CLARE.

On the GROUND, at POINT CLARE, on EASTER SATURDAY, the 26th MARCH, 1910, at 11 o'clock a.m., the following 54 ALLOTMENTS will be offered for Sale by auction, viz.:—
Allotments 1 to 9, Section 1; 1 to 18 and 20 to 27, of Section 2; 1 to 11, 13, 14, 16 to 19, 21, and 22, Section 3, within the VILLAGE OF POINT CLARE. Areas range from 34 perches to 2 roods each, and upset prices from £2 to £30 per lot.

POINT CLARE is a popular tourist and week-end resort, situated about two miles from Gosford and 48 miles from Sydney, on the Great Northern Railway Line.

TERMS:—Deposit, 25 per cent., balance in three equal annual instalments, with interest at 5 per cent. per annum. Further particulars and plans may be obtained from the Crown Lands Agent, Gosford, the Information Bureau, Department of Lands, Sydney, or F. WHEELER, Auctioneer, Gosford. (5a-115)

WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS. A Tonic and a Medicine.

MONA EXTENSION EST., comprising the best building land on the Point, THIS DAY. R. and H.

MANLY. MANLY. MANLY.

THE LAST AVAILABLE
LAND FACING OCEAN,
NORTH STEYNE ESTATE,
BY AUCTION ON GROUND,

TO-DAY, SATURDAY, 3.30 P.M.

THIS AFTERNOON, AT 3.30, NORTH STEYNE ESTATE is to be sold by auction. It presents the final opportunity of purchasing suitable land facing the ocean at Manly. THE POSITION IS EXCELLENT. It is sufficiently far from the holiday crowd to be exclusive, close to Curl Curl, and practically on the water's edge.

THE TERMS ARE 10 per cent. Deposit, and the Balance in Five Years at 5 per cent.

GO TO THE GROUND an hour or two before the Sale, at 3.30. Have a good look at its position. Realise that there is ONLY ONE MANLY and no more such land facing the ocean. EVERY ALLOTMENT MUST BE SOLD THIS AFTERNOON.

STANTON AND SON,

109 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

LITHGOW. LITHGOW. LITHGOW.

GREAT AUCTION SALE OF 600 FINE LOTS, ON THE GROUND, AT 2.15 P.M.

EASTER SATURDAY, 26th MARCH, 1910,

THE LITHGOW EXTENSION ESTATE,

comprising the whole of the available Land between the Commonwealth Small Arms Factory and the Town, where it must extend. A position of immense prospective value. Magnificent Building Sites, facing the noted Ordnance-avenue, 100 feet wide, and other principal streets. The Ideal Home Site, on the windward side, away from the smoke of this busy industrial centre. Gas, water, and all Municipal services. Only 5 minutes from Station, Post-office, School, etc. A chance for Investment with certain and speedy profit.

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Plan, Valuable Booklet on the History of Small Arms, Free on application from HENRY F. HALLORAN and CO., Auctioneers, etc., 82 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY; or LOCAL OFFICE, MAIN-STREET (opposite Mercury Office), Lithgow.

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WOODLANDS-WERRIS CREEK SUBDIVISION.

MAGNIFICENT FARMING AND GRAZING AREAS CLOSE TO CURRABUBULA RAILWAY STATION AND THE GAP PLATFORM.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM
THE NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN LAND COMPANY, LIMITED.

About 11,287 acres of RICH AGRICULTURAL, DAIRYING, AND MIXED FARMING LANDS, together with some of the BEST SHEEP FARMING LAND IN THE STATE,
WILL BE SOLD BY AUCTION, AT
THE ODDFELLOWS' HALL, QUIRINDI, ON

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 1910, AT 2 P.M.,

20 FARMS, IN SUITABLE AREAS.

ABUNDANTLY WATERED BY WELLS AND SPRINGS. GOOD RAINFALL, AND EXCELLENT CLIMATE.
TERMS: 20 per cent. DEPOSIT; 20 per cent. 3 years from date of sale; 10 per cent. 6 years from date of sale; balance 10 years from date of sale. INTEREST ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS, 5 PER CENT.
Purchasers have the option of paying off the whole balance of purchase money on any interest day by giving three months' prior notice of their intention so to do.
LITHOGRAPHS WILL SHORTLY BE AVAILABLE.
Intending Buyers will be taken over the land by arrangement with the Local Auctioneers, who will afford every information.

FURTHER PARTICULARS can be obtained from—
DENNYS, LASCELLES, AUSTIN, and CO., Melbourne and Geelong, Vic.
WILLIAM CADELL, Quirindi.
FLEMING, ROBEY, and ROSS, Quirindi and Gunnedah } Agents in conjunction.
Also from THE NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN LAND CO., LTD., PASTORAL EXCHANGE, 4 O'CONNELL-STREET, SYDNEY.
Solicitor for Vendors: C. F. THOMAS, Quirindi.

SHADY NOOK ESTATE, POINT CLARE.

TWO WEEKS TO-DAY, on SATURDAY, MARCH 19, we will offer 50 CAMPING LOTS right at Point Clare Station, on the Northern Line. The Estate is two miles from Gosford by a good road, and is close to

BRISBANE WATER AND WOY WOY.

The Estate is within a minute or two of a new Public Jetty on Brisbane Water. The fishing there is excellent. As a Site for a Week-end Cottage nothing could be better. These Lots are particularly good as Investments. Point Clare is a favourite Week-end Spot, and there is now not half enough Boarding-house or Furnished Cottage Accommodation. Get one of these Lots at auction, run up a Crib, and you can find a tenant all the year round. Terms, from 10/ deposit, 5/ monthly. Auction at 2.30 p.m. SATURDAY WEEK. Auction Train leaves at 1.15 p.m. Return Ticket at this Office, 3/. Plans ready.

ARTHUR RICKARD AND CO., LTD.,

343 PITT-STREET, AUCTIONEERS AND REALTY SPECIALISTS.

WOOLLAHRA, BONDI JUNCTION.

THURSDAY NEXT, MARCH 10, at 12 O'CLOCK NOON, on the Premises,
GROSVENOR and GRAFTON STREETS.
THE BUNGALOW, a charming Detached Villa Residence, built of brick on stone, slate roof, containing combined Drawing and Sitting Room, Dining-room, 3 Bedrooms, Bathroom, Kitchen, and usual outhouses. Detached Brick Building used as Motor Garage, with workshop adjoining, and Billiard-room overhead.
TORRENS TITLE.
Cards to view obtainable from the Auctioneers.

BARNARD and CO., instructed by HARRIE SKINNER, Esq., will sell by auction the Premises as above.
Auc. Offices: 140 Castlereagh-street. 'Phone 3773.

MONA EXTENSION ESTATE, DARLING PT.—ADDITION SALE, THIS DAY. Torrens Title. R. and H.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

HIGHEST AWARD AND PRIZE MEDAL, PHILADELPHIA EXHIBITION, 1876.

OAKEY'S EMERY and GLASS CLOTH.

OAKEY'S Genuine Grain and Flour EMERY.

OAKEY'S Cabinet GLASSPAPER, Blacklead, etc.

JOHN OAKEY and SONS, Ltd., Emery and Blacklead Mills, Westminster Bridge-rd, London, Eng.

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WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS. For Kidney Ailments.

MONA EXTENSION EST., with frontages to well-made streets, AUC. SALE, THIS DAY, R. and H.

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ALL users of Painting Material may rely upon getting PURE PAINTS at lowest prices from JAMES SANDY and CO., Limited, 326-328 George-street, who have made a Speciality of the Paint, Wall Papers, and Window Glass Trade for over 50 years.

BEFORE you move, consult HORDERN BROTHERS, Pitt-street, re New CARPETS, FLOORCLOTHS, BLINDS, etc. Your Carpets taken up, cleaned, and relaid, etc. Blinds redone. Our prices are the cheapest in the State. HORDERN BROTHERS, 203, 205, 207, 209, 211 Pitt-street, Sydney. Estimates given free.

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RESOLUTION.
That the Articles of Association of the Company be altered as follows:—
(a) IN ARTICLE 17—All of the words commencing "No Shares" down to and including the words "to the other" shall be struck out, and the following words substituted:—"Shares may be transferred from the London Register to the Sydney Register, but no shares on the Sydney Register may be transferred to the London Register." Where the words "issued at Sydney" thirdly appear, the words "on the Sydney Register" shall be substituted, and where the words "issued at London" secondly appear the words "on the London Register" shall be substituted.
(b) IN ARTICLE 67—The words "as regards the Shareholders on the London Register by advertising the same once in the London Times and once in a daily newspaper in Edinburgh and Glasgow, Scotland, and as regards Shareholders on the Sydney Register" shall be inserted between the words "given" and "either."
(c) IN ARTICLE 79—The paragraph commencing "And after" down to and including the words "holding of the meeting" shall be struck out.
(d) IN ARTICLE 84—The words "or at the London Office of the Company" shall be inserted after the words "at the registered office of the Company," and the words "three clear days" shall be substituted for the words "twenty-four hours," and all the words after the words "proposes to vote" shall be struck out, and the following words inserted in lieu thereof, namely:—"A notarially attested cablegram of the deposit of such instrument of proxy at the London Office of the Company with such particulars as to enable them to be used at any meeting in Sydney, shall be sufficient evidence of their existence, and shall entitle the proxy or proxies to vote in respect thereof, and proxies shall remain in force until notice of the death of the appointer or of the revocation of the proxy shall be left in writing at the registered office of the company."
(e) IN ARTICLE 91, the following words shall be inserted between the words "thereto" and "the," namely:—"Or any Plan of Arrangement sanctioned, as mentioned in Clause 6 thereof, and the following words shall be inserted between the words 'The said Inscribed Deposits' and the words 'shall not create,' namely:—'Shall be secured by an Indenture of Covenant to be made between the Company of the one part and two trustees to be nominated by the Board for that purpose, both of whom may be Directors of the Company, of the other part, and the said Inscribed Deposits.'"
(f) IN ARTICLE 93—The following words shall be inserted after the words "upon winding-up," namely:—"And in the other events mentioned in Condition 5½ of the Conditions to be endorsed upon the Form of Certificate scheduled to Article 92."
(g) IN ARTICLE 123—The word "annual" before "General" shall be struck out, and the words "January, 1911," shall be substituted for the words "July, 1910."
(h) IN ARTICLE 168—All the words before the words "the Company shall establish" shall be struck out, and the following words shall be inserted at the commencement of sub-section One, namely:—"In the half-year ending the 30th June, 1912, and"
(i) IN ARTICLE 182—After the word "Wales" the following words shall be inserted, namely:—"And who are not upon the London Register."
(j) IN ARTICLE 184—The words "on the Sydney Register" shall be inserted after the words "the shareholders," and after the word "newspapers" the following words shall be added, namely:—"And all notice to shareholders on the London Register shall be advertised as mentioned in Article 67."
(k) THAT THE SCHEDULE TO ARTICLE 92 be altered as follows:—
(1) In the Certificate the word "issued" shall be substituted for the word "constituted," and the words "and is" before the word "issued" shall be struck out, and the following words shall be inserted, namely: "And pursuant to the Agreement, dated the 10th day of December, 1909, and made between the Australian Joint Stock Bank, Limited, of the one part and the Company of the other part, and the Plan of Arrangement therein referred to, and are," and the following words shall be inserted after the words "subject to the conditions endorsed hereon," namely:—"And are constituted and secured by an Indenture of Covenant made between the Company of the one part and .... as trustees of the other part, and dated the .... day of .... 1910. The holders of the said Inscribed Deposits are entitled pari passu and rateably to the benefit of this said Indenture of Covenant."
(2) AS AN ADDITIONAL HEADING TO THE CONDITIONS, to be endorsed on the Certificate, the following words shall be added after the word "Certificate," namely:—"The within named Indenture of Covenant contains inter alia provisions to the following effect, namely:"
(3) IN CONDITION 1 the word "only" shall be struck out. The words commencing "maturity" down to and including the words "winding-up of the Company" shall be struck out, and the words "first day of January, 1912," shall be inserted in lieu thereof.
(4) IN CONDITION 2, the words "or part thereof" shall be inserted between the words "deposit" and "will," and also between the words "moneys" and "represented."
(5) IN CONDITION 4, the words "on the winding-up as aforesaid" shall be struck out and the words "in the events hereinafter stated" shall be inserted in lieu thereof.
(6) IN CONDITION 5, all of the words before "the Company shall establish" shall be struck out and the following words shall be inserted at the commencement of sub-section One only, namely:—"In the half-year ending 30th June, 1912, and"
(7) The following CONDITION shall be inserted between CONDITIONS 5 and 6, namely:—
5½ The principal of the Inscribed Deposits shall immediately become payable—
(a) If the Company shall make default in the payment of any interest moneys which ought to be paid to any registered holder of Inscribed Deposits, and such default shall continue for a period of six calendar months after notice in writing requiring payment shall have been served on the Manager of the Office at which the Inscribed Deposits of such registered holder are registered, and such registered holder before such interest is paid by notice in writing to the Company calls in such principal.
(b) If the Company shall make default for a period of six calendar months in the observance or performance of any of the provisions of the immediately preceding clause.
(c) On the winding up of the Company.
(8) IN CONDITION 33, the following words shall be added at the end thereof, namely:—"The same at the City where the Register in which such Inscribed Deposit Holder is registered is kept."
Dated the 4th day of March, 1910.
By order of the Board,
A. P. STEWART,
General Manager.

SYDNEY DISTRICT, ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS.
ANNUAL DELEGATE MEETING
in connection with the above will commence its sittings on
MONDAY, MARCH 7th, at 10 o'clock a.m.,
in the FORESTERS' HALL, 330 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.
WILLIAM H. WATTS, D.C.R.
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THE DAIRY FARMERS' CO-OPERATIVE MILK COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE.
An Extraordinary General MEETING of Shareholders in the abovenamed Company will be held in the Town Hall, Albion Park, on FRIDAY, the eighteenth of March, 1910, at 3 p.m.
BUSINESS:
To enable the Directors to Explain the Proposal to pay for Milk on a "Butter-fat Test Basis."
H. FRYER,
Manager.
Holden-street, Redfern,
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MUNICIPALITY OF WAVERLEY.
PUBLIC MEETING.
EASTERN SUBURBS RAILWAY.
A PUBLIC MEETING will be held at the WAVERLEY HALL, EBLEY-STREET, WAVERLEY, next to Grand Hotel, on FRIDAY, 11th MARCH, 1910, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of advocating Railway Extension to the Eastern Suburbs. The Public are cordially invited.
R. G. WATKINS, Mayor.
Council-chambers, Waverley,
1st March, 1910.

LOBB'S HOLE COPPER MINE (NO LIABILITY).
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Sixth Ordinary GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at Challis House, Martin-place, Sydney, on 16th March, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., for the following purposes, viz.:—
To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the Half-year ended 31st December, 1909.
To transact any other ordinary Business of the Company.
By order of the Board,
ALEX. JOBSON,
Sydney, 4th March, 1910. Secretary.

HARDEN GOLD MINE LIMITED.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Ninth Ordinary GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at Challis House, Martin-place, Sydney, on 16th March, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., for the following purposes, viz.:—
To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the Half-year ended 31st December, 1909.
To transact any other ordinary Business of the Company.
By order of the Board,
ALEX. JOBSON,
Sydney, 4th March, 1910. Secretary.

TO TAILORS AND TAILORESSES.—A Special MEETING of the Union will be held on MONDAY NEXT, 7th instant, Trades Hall. Business: To deal with Report of Executive re Death Benefits and Trade Union Congress; Report from Secretary re Court Cases, and "turns" in certain Shops.
J. R. CROMBIE, President.
J. DURACK, Secretary.

THE PRIME MINISTER, Hon. Alfred Deakin, Esq., M.H.R., will deliver an Address at 3 o'clock on THURSDAY AFTERNOON, 10th inst., at St. James' Hall, Phillip-street, on the occasion of the Annual Meeting of the Women's Liberal League of N.S.W. All cordially invited.

AUSTRALIAN GOLF CLUB.
Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the members of the Australian Golf Club will be held on SATURDAY, 19th MARCH, at the Clubhouse, Kensington, at 8 p.m. Business: To receive and adopt the annual Report and Balance-sheet, the election of Office-bearers, and any other Business that may be brought forward.
By order,
OSCAR H. O'BRIEN,
Secretary.

PYRMONT BRANCH OF POLITICAL LABOUR LEAGUE.
A SPECIAL MEETING of the above Branch will be held at the Woolbrokers' Arms, Allen-street, on Monday Night, at 8. Business: To protest against the action of the secretary in not allowing the local executive to inspect the books of the branch.
TOM SMITH, Hon. Sec.

N.S.W. Chamber of Manufactures (Incorporated).—Monthly Meeting of Council, Mon., Mar. 7, 4 p.m. Business: Election of Delegates to Annual Interstate Conference; reception of Notices for Agenda Paper, Manufactures Day Re. Members invited.
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APPRENTICE, Boy, best tailoring, except. chance, sm. wage, school pref. Jensen, 11 Bond-st., first floor.

ARTISTS.—We have a Vacancy for a young Lady with artis. tastes, kn. draw. Falk, 164 Pitt-st., city.

A REFINED yng. Lady to assist in priv. School, Yarra Glen, Illawarra-rd., Marrickville.

A STRIKER and a BOY for the smithshop wanted. Angus and Son, Car. Build., Sloane-st., Newtown.

APPLICATIONS will be received until MARCH 9th for MEDICAL OFFICER to Harmony Division Sons and Daughters of Temperance, situated at Chippendale. Terms, etc., to C. E. GINN, Robert-street, Ashfield.

A GOVERNESS, for country (New England district), 3 children. Apply in first instance, Mrs. W. F. EVERETT, Kirketon, Darlinghurst-road.

A JUNIOR CLERK required for city office. Applications, stating experience, to F. N. C., Herald.

ASSISTANTS, Prominent Firms.—Accountants, Bookkeepers, Clerks, Typists, Drapers, Milliners, Salesmen, Grocers, Canvassers, Travellers, Ironmongers, Carters, Storemen. Registration Fee, 5s. We make no charge to employers. Merchants' and Traders' Emp. Bureau, JOHN BEVERIDGE, J.P., Mnr., 14 Martin-pl.

BLACKSMITH, knowledge Wheelwright work and Shoeing, for stn., 30s. 73 Elizabeth-st.

BOOKBINDERS.—Machine Pen Ruler wanted. 447 Kent-st.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, first-class MACHINISTS and TREES-OFF. John Hunter and Son, Ltd., Redfern.

BOY wanted, leaving school for Warehouse, salary 7s week. Apply Saturday. Bedggood, 97 York-st.

BOY wanted, small, respectable, for Messages; easy place. E. Millett and Co., 24 Hunter-st.

BOY wanted, just from school, chance learn Engineering. B. Phillips, 350 Pitt-st.

BOYS wanted.—Boys for Warehouse, wage 6s start. Apply 8.30 a.m., 340 Kent-st.

BOY, smart, 16 to 16, to learn sales, wages 7s 6d start. W. Lowe and Co., George-st.

BOY wanted, for warehouse, references. 8.30 a.m. Taylor and Co., York-st.

BOY wanted. Barrell Bros., stereo. and electrotypers, 8 Dean's-place, Sydney.

BOOKBINDING.—GIRLS wanted for quarter binding. Collins Bros., 155 Clarence-st.

BOYS for steam-pressing, highest wages for smart lads. M'Arthur, Ltd., 77 York-st.

BOOT Trade.—Wanted, for country, good Bespoke Hand, Repairer. Farleigh, Nettheim, 80 Clarence-st.

BRICKLAYER and Carpenter's Improver, for country. J. Waugh, Holborrow-st., Croydon.

BOY wanted. Tom s. Madeley and Sons, Ltd., Furniture Manufacturers, 255 Sussex-st.

BOYS wanted. Apply Geo. Cull and Son, 506 Pitt-st., Sydney.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, MACHINISTS. J. W. Ward, Central-st., city.

BRICKLAYERS.—Two wanted. Cook-rd., Centennial Park, Maston and Yates.

BOYS Wanted, also Solderers. Apply T. Danks, Zetland Tram Terminus, Elizabeth-st., Waterloo.

BOY wanted, about 15, in small Warehouse, wages 8s. Apply 39 Meagher-st., off Abercrombie-st.

BUSH CARPENTER for station, 30s, keep, interview squatter 10.30. Simmonds, 188 Castlereagh-st.

BOOT TRADE.—BOYS wanted. M'Murtrie and Co., Ltd., Wells-st., Eveleigh.

BOYS wanted. Hercules Nail Factory, Blackfriars, good wages.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, Fitters, Improvers to fitting, and Tiers-off. Wilson, Pechter, Co., Alexandria.

BOY or Youth wanted for tailor's shop, good wages to start. L. Myerson and Son, 752 Geo.-st., Hmkt.

BRICKLAYERS wanted at Arbutus-st., Mosman, off Balmoral-st. Stewart.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, Girl, for fixing patent caps, £1. S. Preeps, 55 Parramatta-rd., Annandale.

BOY WANTED, office and messages, opportunity grow new machinery bus., 6s wk. Bustle, Haymkt. P.O.

BUTCHERS.—Wanted, SHOPMAN, to-day, 17s 6d, 6 a.m., Seaton, Bondi Junction.

BOY wanted, used to horses. N. A. Kemp, Charing-cross, Waverley.

BLACKSMITH'S Improver or Floorman, must be good nailer on, for Sth Cst. Ferguson, blacks., Belmore.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, first-class Fitter. John Hunter and Son, Ltd., Redfern.

BOOKKEEPER.—Wanted, for financial office, one used to prepare balance-sheet, must be smart, energetic, good writer. M. JOSEPH, 106 King-street, Sydney, 2 doors from Pitt-street.

BOY wanted to assist in office. ALFRED FORD, 280 Elizabeth-street, opp. Central Railway Station.

BOY wanted, for warehouse, lad leaving school preferred. Apply, stating age and references, to AMALGAM, Herald Branch, King-street.

BOOKBINDING DEPARTMENT.—Experienced GIRLS for folding, etc. MARCHANT and CO., Ltd., Printers, 435 Kent-street, City.

BLACKSMITH, first-class General Hand, wanted for country, good wages. Apply to D. HARDY and SONS, 377-380 Cleveland-street, Redfern.

BOYS.

Wanted, several smart, clean, respectable BOYS, good chance suitable boys to quickly improve, boys just from school preferred, no late night, Saturday half-day.

Apply 9.30 a.m., Upstairs, Monday or Tuesday. HORDERN BROTHERS, 203-211 Pitt-street.

BENDIGO SCHOOL OF MINES.

Applications invited for INSTRUCTOR in Mechanical Engineering Department.

Workshop practice and Mechanical Engineering Drawing.

Salary, £200 per annum.
Applications due 19th March.
Duties commence 25th April.
Particulars,

W. H. WALTER, Registrar.

BENEVOLENT SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

HOSPITAL FOR INFANTS AND ASYLUM FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN, THOMAS-STREET.

APPLICATIONS for the POSITION of HEAD NURSE for the above Institution will be received from Trained Nurses, with credentials, addressed to the Secretary. Particulars may be obtained from the Matron. Salary £60 per annum.

JNO. WALTER ROSEBY, Secretary.
Offices, Thomas-street, February 28, 1910.

BENEVOLENT SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

APPLICATIONS will be received up to 12 o'clock (noon) on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9th, from those desirous of obtaining the following Appointments at the Royal Hospital for Women, Paddington, which have been declared vacant in accordance with the regulations:—

HONORARY SURGEON. Retiring Officer, Dr. Ralph Worrall.
HONORARY ASSISTANT SURGEON. Retiring Officer, Dr. John Harris.
HONORARY ANAESTHETIST. Retiring Officer, Dr. Constance E. D'Arcy.

The above are eligible for, but not entitled to, re-election.

Applications to be in writing, and addressed to the Secretary, Benevolent Society of New South Wales.

JNO. WALTER ROSEBY, Secretary.
Offices: Thomas-street; February 28, 1910.

COACHSMITH wanted, must be good, refs. M. B., Tamworth.

CANVASSER, Lady or Gent., art line, can make £ a week. Mr. Garrett, 111 Alfred-st., N.S.

COMPOSITORS.—First-class Jobbing Hands wanted. Stewart Black, 447 Kent-st.

CARTONMAKING.—GIRLS wanted. S. T. Leigh and Co., Ltd., Elizabeth and Goulburn sts.

CARDBOARD BOXMAKING.—BOYS wanted. S. T. Leigh and Co., Ltd., Elizabeth and Goulburn sts.

COACHSMITH wanted, at once, constant. Casey and Thompson, Lane Cove-rd., N. Sydney.

COACH Builders.—Wanted, Bodymaker or good General Hand, constant job. Roberts, Alfred-st., N.S.

CABINETMAKER.—First-class Man wanted. McGregor and Grant, Bulwara-rd., Pyrmont.

CARPENTER.—Exp. Man wanted, take charge of job. Hardy and Sons, 377-380 Cleveland-st., Redfern.

CLERK.—JUNIOR CLERK, shorthand and type, male, wanted, stock and station agency experience an advantage. Copies of references and age to AGENT, Herald Office.

CHEMISTS.—Experienced ASSISTANT wanted. PHARMACEUTICAL BOARD AWARD WAGES. State references. 353, Herald Office.

COMPOSITORS.—First-class JOBBING HAND; none other need apply. Permanency to suitable hand; good wages. L.R., Herald Office.

CARPENTERS and JOINERS wanted. Apply W. WILLIAMSON, Barcom-avenue, near Bayswater-road.

CUTTER.—Wanted, First-class MAN, for Skirts, Costumes, etc., factory experience indispensable, permanent position for suitable man. All applications treated strictly confidential. State experience and salary required to 539 G.P.O.

Open one week.

CLERKS, for Western Australia and Queensland, Banking or Mercantile experience, VACANCIES, £120 PER ANNUM.

Apply, stating age and qualifications,

LIBRATION, c/o. GORDON and GOTCH, Sydney.

COOMA DISTRICT HOSPITAL.

APPLICATIONS will be received up to WEDNESDAY, 16th MARCH, 1910, for the position of HEAD NURSE to the Cooma District Hospital. Salary, £52 per annum. Applicant must be able to dispense, and be a member of the A.T.N.A. References and age required. The successful applicant will be required to commence duties on April 1st. Other particulars on application.

C. J. WALMSLEY, Secretary, Cooma.

DRESSMAKING.—Wntd., 1st-class Bodice, Skirt, Sleeve hands. Ryan, 56 Bayswater-rd., Darl'hurst.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, SKIRT HANDS, also IMPROVERS. Mrs. Thoms, 11 Nowranie-st., Sum. Hill.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, comp. all-round Hands. Elliott and Fyffe, 63 Smith-st., Sum. Hill.

DRESSMAKING.—Good Fitter and Neat Worker reqd. to take home if pref. Directoire, Herald, King-st.

DRESSMAKING.—Lady offers good Home, small salary, ret. Sew., whole or part. Refined, Herald.

DRESSMAKING.—Smart Improvers wanted, Apprs., good. Mrs. Miller, 263 Pitt-st., over Lowe's.

DRESSMAKERS.—Wanted, smart SKIRT ASSISTANTS, permanent positions, city experience essential.

Apply Mr. WHITELAW, DAVID JONES, Ltd.

DRESSMAKING.—Competent Bodice and Skirt Hands, also Improvers and Apprentices, good salary and permanent positions suitable hands. Miss HALL, Mann's-buildings, 106 King-street.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Machinist and Improver, good wages, constant to good worker. Miss PURSER, Mid-Rest, Kingston-road, Kingston.

DRESSMAKING. Wanted, First-class SKIRT and BODICE HANDS, also ASSISTANTS. Apply

Miss Robertson, MARK FOY'S, Ltd.

DRESSMAKING. GIRL for Shopping. IMPROVERS and APPRENTICES. BOY for Pressing. Mr. HOLDER, 77-78 Q. V. Markets.

DRESSMAKING. HORDERN BROTHERS, 203-7 PITT-STREET, have VACANCIES in their Dressmaking Department for MACHINISTS, ASSISTANTS TO COATS and SKIRTS, IMPROVERS to SLEEVES, and APPRENTICES. Nice clean healthy workrooms, Saturday afternoons and Evenings off. Apply 9 o'clock Monday Morning.

DRESSMAKERS. Vacancies for first-class COAT HANDS. PERMANENT POSITIONS. GOOD SALARY. Apply Dressmaking Department, W. T. WATERS and CO., Ltd., King and George streets, Sydney.

ERRAND BOY wanted. Jones, Chemist, 45 Market-st.

FIELD Assistant, able to make surveys, etc., etc. 73 Elizabeth-st.

FEEDER for Letterpress Machine wanted, must be 1st-cl. G. B. Philip and Son, 52 Margaret-st.

FIRE, Marine, Accident Insurance Co. requires JUNIOR, good opportunity smart lad. March, Herald.

FENCERS.—Repairing job. Apply Tuesday, 11 a.m., Lomaxia, 518 Darling-rd., Balmain.

FOLDERS wanted, Bookbinding Dept. S. T. Leigh and Co., Ltd., Elizabeth and Goulburn sts.

FACTORY Girls required, light work, constant empl., good wages. Apply 9 Wynyard-st.

FIRST-CLASS Boot Repairer, must be good on pumps, constant, steady man, start Mon. Wortley, Burwd.

FOR LAND AGENCY, SYDNEY.—Wanted, a competent CLERK, of experience in country land work. Excellent prospects for good man. Apply A.M., c.o. Stott and Hoare, Ltd., (Confidential.) Moore-street, Sydney.

GOV., Eng., Fr., mus., theo., 2 pup., pres. pref. Mrs. McKerrell, Chatsbury, near Goulburn.

GOVERNESS, Easter School, Northern suburb, visiting or resident. Bella, Herald.

FARMER AND COMPANY Limited,

REQUIRE SMART, WELL-EDUCATED BOYS, for Parcels Office and various departments.

Apply Second Floor, George-street.

GIRLS, just from school, for Binding Dept., wntd.; also strong Boy. Philip and Son, 52 Margaret-st.

GIRLS.—Wanted, Girls, for Order Dept., wages 6s start. Apply, 8.30 a.m., 340 Kent-st.

GROCER, Ironmonger, country, strong, drive, ride, £2, refs. Grafter, Box 938, G.P.O.

GIRLS wanted. S. T. Leigh and Co., Ltd., Elizabeth and Goulburn sts.

GIRLS (10) wanted, to wrap newspapers for mail, must be smart. Gibbs, 9 Hamilton-st.

GOVERNESS, sub. school, £70, S. line; others, £35, £30; L. Helps, 20s, 16s, 12s. 70 Hunter-st.

GIRLS wanted for cartonmaking, packing, etc. Ross Bros., Ltd., printers, 547 Kent-st.

GIRLS, smart, learn Tie, Scarf Making, constant employment. H. Jacobson, 445 Kent-st., first floor.

GROCERS.—Junior, smart Counter Hand, 25s, refs. Berrin Bros., 227 Parramatta-rd., Leichhardt.

GIRLS, as Learners to ¼-binding, folding, wiring, etc. W. Nevill and Co., 6 Clarence-st.

GIRLS.—Experienced Girls wanted for wrapping chemists' sundries; good wages. Apply ELLIOTT BROS., Perry-street, Rozelle.

GIRL WANTED, must be experienced, packing light fancygoods. Apply personally, after 10. Bray's-building, Angel-place, 127 Pitt-street. ELLISDON, LTD.

GOVERNESSES, finishing, English, music, singing; Nursery, for Bathurst, 3 pupils, good needlewoman; Lady Helps, for Moree and Peak Hill, 15s; Lady Help, city. Mrs. MURPHY'S, 173 Pitt-street.

GOVERNESS, £40, Eng., music, sing., Coonamble; £35, Eng. only, Gilgandra; Nur. Gov., £30, Eng., music, Narromine; £28, Nyngan; R.C. Gov., £35, Eng., adv. music, Wagga. Miss GARDINER, 110 Bathurst-st.

GOVERNESS, over 30, Gundagai, teach 1 girl 10, Eng., music, £35; GOV., TRANGIE, £30, 3 pupils, Eng., music, draw., £50; GOV., M'BROOK, Eng., music, £40; GOV., £40, near Forbes, Eng., piano, viol., sing., 5 pupils; Bingara £35, Moree £35, Warren £35, Trundle £35, Cowra £35, Euabalong £35. HITTMANN'S AGENCY, 61 Elizabeth-street.

HEAD Teacher, female, small paroch. school, subs., Anglican, sm. sal., incr. gr. R.S.M., Herald Bch.

HAIRDRESSING.—Wanted, first-class MAN, to-day, 15s. Allan, 855 George-st.

HAIRDRESSER.—Wanted, first-class Man to-day. Keating, 130 Liverpool-st., city.

HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, first-class Man, 14s and meals. Arthur Lindsay, 3 Norton-st., Leichhardt.

HEAD NURSE WANTED for the Hillgrove Cottage Hospital, must have previous hospital experience, not necessarily certificated. Salary, £30 per annum. Must be prepared to take up duties on the 22nd March. Fare refunded after six months' service. Applications close Thursday next, 10th. Apply

MORGAN STEPHENS, Secretary, Hillgrove.

HEAD FOREMAN, CHURCH OF ENGLAND CEMETERY, NECROPOLIS.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED FOR THE ABOVE POSITION.

Applicant must be a communicant member of the Church of England. A knowledge of surveying will be considered an advantage. Canvassing of trustees will absolutely debar any applicant.

DUTIES will include:—

1. Assisting the Ground Manager in the discharge of his duties.
2. Clerical work when called upon to fulfil such service.
3. General supervision and assistance in the Cemetery under the Ground Manager.

SALARY, £200 per annum.

Applications must be made in applicant's own handwriting, with copies of testimonials, addressed to the Trustees, Church of England Cemetery, Necropolis. C/o. SECRETARY, Box 1269, G.P.O., Sydney.

INTELLIGENT LAD, to learn office work in manufacturing firm, splendid opportunity for bright lad. Application and references to Australian Wood Pipe Company, Ltd., Box 19, Balmain.

JUNIOR CLERK. Apply letter, copies references, S. Hoffnung and Co., Ltd., Pitt-st.

JOINERS.—Smart Hand wanted. Chiswick, Ocean and Wellington sts, Woollahra, after 8 a.m.

JUNIOR required, for Furnishing Drapery Department. An exceptional opportunity for a smart Lad. Apply BEARD, WATSON, Ltd., George-street.

JUNIOR CLERK, with some mercantile experience, able write well, quickly, wanted, city merchant's office, salary commence £1 week. Box 740, G.P.O.

JUNIOR CLERK required, to assist accountant in large legal firm. Apply in own handwriting to LEX, G.P.O., Sydney.

JUNIOR CLERK required for the offices of a life assurance company, salary £26 per annum. Apply own handwriting to Box 1297, G.P.O.

JUNIOR required for Office, knowledge of shorthand and typewriting preferred.

Apply in first instance to P.O. Box 90, Sydney.

JEWELLERY. Wanted, Experienced Girl Washer-out and Finisher. ROLLASON AND CO., LIMITED, 119 Castlereagh-street.

LEGAL.—Good opening (Ptshp.), steady yg. Solicitor, flourishing town. Confidence, Box 1685.

LETTERPRESS FEEDBOYS wanted for double-royal machines. Ross Bros., Ltd., printers, 547 Kent-st.

LADY Canvasser, expd., selling lady's requisite, satisfactory references required. Harvard, Herald.

LINO.—Wanted, compt. Linotype Operator for 8 weeks. State salary. Apply Singleton "Argus."

LADY Bookkeeper, double entry, cap. and rel. for gd. respon. Pos. Equitable-bldg., 5th flr., 2 and 3.

LADY COLLECTOR wanted for the Sydney Rescue Work Society, Christian young woman, interested mission work; permanent employment. Apply G. E. ARDILL, 403 Sussex-st., near Goulburn-st.

LACES. Vacancies for smart SALESWOMEN, with 3 or 4 years' experience.

W. T. WATERS and CO., Ltd., King and George streets, City.

LYNDHURST SHIRE. VALUER.

Applications, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Valuer," are invited, and will be received up to THURSDAY, the 10th March, 1910, from competent persons, to make a valuation of the Unimproved Capital Value of all Ratable Lands situate within the Lyndhurst Shire.

Applicants to state fee required.

Further particulars may be obtained on application.

PHILIP J. KELLY, Shire Clerk.
Shire Council-chambers, Blayney.

MARINE Engin. Firm, vic. Abbotsford, has Vacancy for Apprentice. By letter, Apprentice, Herald.

MEDICAL OFFICER wanted for Islands, sal. £400, p. allowed, free residence. Brack, Castlereagh-st.

MAN wanted, with competency certif., take charge motor ketch, used firewood trade. Sailor, Herald.

MALE TYPIST wanted for country store, £2. Apply Stott and Underwood.

MACHINISTS nd IMPROVERS wanted. Apply top floor, 787 George-st. West.

MACHINISTS wanted for tents and rugs, wages 15s to start; also Girls as Learners. 204 Clarence-st.

MILLINERY.—Wanted, smart Apprentices for Millinery. Bet. 10 and 11. Mrs. Griffin, 8 Sydney Arc.

MACHINISTS and Finishers for Juvenile Clothing, best wages; Begins, Smethurst, 33 Campbell-st., Glebe.

MACHINISTS, for skirts, coats, and blouses, power. Madame Gardiner, 164 and 164A William-st., Dst.

MOTOR DRIVER or Mechanic wanted, must be competent, used to 4 cyl. engines and mountain roads. Apply HOWARTH and HONEY, 4 Underwood-street, off Pitt-street, between 9 and 10.30 a.m. to-day.

MACHINISTS and LEARNERS wanted for Ladies' Underclothing (power); good pay, constant. MOORHOUSE and RAYNER, 409 Kent-street.

MILLINER and SALESWOMAN wanted for Cobar, must be a first-class hand. Apply, Monday, 10 a.m., ALDERSON'S, Ltd., 255 Clarence-street.

MEAT PRESERVING.—Wanted, capable PRESERVER, take entire charge works, must have good record, splendid opportunity right man. Apply Canner, c.o. Box 241, G.P.O.

MACHINISTS and IMPROVERS wanted, constant work. WEINGOTTS, Limited, 60 City-road and Myrtle-street.

MACHINISTS for skirts and coats, permanent for year, and highest wages. MODEL COSTUME CO., 130, 2nd floor, Q.V. Markets.

MILLINERY.—Wanted, stylish TRIMMERS and IMPROVERS. R. C. HENDERSON, Parker-street, Haymarket.

MUNICIPALITY OF CONCORD.

Applications invited until 4 p.m. on the 8th inst for a JUNIOR ASSISTANT (Male), at a salary of 10s per week. Particulars can be obtained on application to

JAS. H. BOLSTER, Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Concord, 4th March, 1910.

MUNICIPALITY OF HAY.

APPLICATIONS are invited and will be received by the undersigned up till noon on MONDAY, March 14, 1910, from persons qualified under the L.G. Act, 1906, to Audit the above Council's Books for the half-year ending June and December, 1910, at a remuneration of £10 10s per half-year. General, Additional General, Water, Sewer, Lighting, Sanitary, Commons, Loan, and Trust Funds.

W. J. SAUNDERS, Town Clerk.
Council-chambers, Hay, March 1, 1910.

MUNICIPALITY OF WARREN.

Applications, addressed to the Mayor, and endorsed, will be received up till 6 p.m. on MONDAY, MARCH 14th, 1910, for the Position of TOWN CLERK and CLERK OF WORKS to the above Municipality, at a salary of £195 per annum.

Applicants must hold the necessary L.G. Certificate.

State age and experience, and when they could commence duties.

C. H. SUTTON, Town Clerk.
Council Chambers, February 23rd, 1910.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF SYDNEY.

LIFT BOYS REQUIRED.

APPLICATIONS are invited from Boys about the age of 16 years, possessing a fair education, for positions as LIFT BOYS in the service of the City Council.

Applications to be made on forms which are obtainable at the Town Hall, Sydney, on personal application, or by post if stamp enclosed, on SATURDAY, between the hours of 9 o'clock and 12 o'clock noon, and MONDAY, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m., which must be returned to the undersigned not later than 10 o'clock a.m. on TUESDAY, 8th instant.

Wages to commence at the rate of 12s 6d per week.

W. G. LAYTON, Acting Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Sydney, 4th March, 1910.

MILLINERY.—FINISHERS and TRIMMERS wanted; also GIRLS, to learn Straw Hat Machining, good prospects, permanent work.

LEWIS and LONEY, Ltd., Charles-street (off Bourke-street), Redfern.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF SYDNEY.

CARTERS REQUIRED.

APPLICATIONS are invited from persons owning Horse and Cart for Employment in the service of the City Council.

Applications to be made on forms, which are obtainable on personal application at the Town Hall, Sydney, or by post if stamp enclosed, on FRIDAY, 4th instant, from 9 o'clock a.m. till 4 o'clock p.m., and on SATURDAY, 5th instant, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 12 o'clock noon, to BE RETURNED to the undersigned not later than 10 o'clock a.m. on MONDAY NEXT, 7th instant.

DESCRIPTION OF CART.

Cart to be Brick or Box Dray, with a body capacity of not less than 24 cubic feet, and a total capacity of not less than 50 feet over coal sides.

Owners of Carts, if appointed, must drive their own Carts.

W. G. LAYTON, Acting Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Sydney, 3rd March, 1910.

NORTH COAST RAILWAY.

WEST MAITLAND TO DUNGOG.

Wanted, RAIL PRESSERS.

Best Wages to good men.

Apply CARSON, CAREY, and SIMPSON, West Maitland.

NEW SOUTH WALES GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS AND TRAMWAYS.

Office of the Chief Commissioner, Sydney, 1st March, 1910.

APPLICATIONS for the position of APPRENTICE CLERK in the Metropolitan District will be received at the Offices of the Staff Committee, Eveleigh, from lads who have attained the age of 15 and are under 18 years of age. Salary, £30 per annum.

Applications, stating date of birth, and enclosing copies of testimonials (originals must not be sent), are to be addressed to "The Secretary to the Staff Committee, Eveleigh," and the envelopes endorsed "Application for the Position of Apprentice Clerk, Metropolitan District."

By order. J. S. SPURWAY, Acting Secretary.

NEW SOUTH WALES GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS AND TRAMWAYS.

Office of the Chief Commissioner, Sydney, 1st March, 1910.

APPLICATIONS FOR EMPLOYMENT AS TRAMWAY CONDUCTORS will be received at the Office of the Staff Committee, Wilson-street, Eveleigh.

Applicants must have attained the age of 21 and be under 35 years of age, and measure not less than 5ft 6in in stockinged feet.

Applications must be made on the proper forms, which can be obtained at the Staff Committee's Office, Railway Stores, Eveleigh, and at the Tramway Traffic Superintendent's Office, Hunter-street.

The applications, accompanied by COPIES ONLY of testimonials, are to be addressed to "The Secretary to the Staff Committee, Eveleigh," and the envelopes endorsed "Application for the Position of Tramway Conductor."

By order. J. S. SPURWAY, Acting Secretary.

OPERATOR, first-class, for city Operating Picture Show. State exp. and salary. J. S., Herald Office.

OFFICE BOY, able type prefd., or Girl, ... refs.; wages, full parties. Tor, Herald, King-st.

OFFICE BOY wanted, for Solicitor's Office. Apply to Lex, Herald Office, King-st.

OUTSIDE SALESMAN required for Engineering Specialities. Give age, experience, and references, Thrust, Herald Office.

OIL ENGINEER, with thorough experience, wanted, for Auxiliary Schooner in South Sea Islands, 2 years agreement; must have knowledge of fitting and repairs. Apply 18 York-street.

PRINTERS.—First-class Guillotine Operator wanted. Turner and Henderson, 254 George-st.

PAINTERS.—Wanted, smart PAINTERS, long job. Apply R. Price, Junee.

PRINTERS.—Platen Machinist and Feeders wanted. Stewart Black, 447 Kent-st.

PRINTING.—Letterpress Machinist wanted, perm. for capable man. W. C. Penfold and Co., 183 Pitt-st.

PICTURE-FRAMER.—Lads wanted. Needham, Carlton Pierre Co., 20 Burton-st., Darlinghurst.

PRINTERS.—PLATEN HAND; also MESSENGER BOY wanted, at once. Syd. Smith, 9 Castlereagh-st.

PAINTER, first-grade Man. Apply by letter; open Tuesday. Painter, Herald.

PHOTOGRAPHY.—We have a Vacancy for a young Lady with artistic tastes. Falk Studios, 164 Pitt-st.

PRESSERS.—Wanted, good MAN, used to juveniles, constant; also Girl for ironing. 533 Geo.-st., top fl.

PACKER.—Wanted, for a Saddler's Ironmongery Warehouse, an experienced PACKER, one used to the trade preferred. Apply in first instance, Packer, Herald Office, King-street.

PROVISION MANAGER.—Wanted, thoroughly competent Man, to take charge Provision Department large retail firm. Apply, stating age, exp., and salary req. Information strictly confidential. Box 6 5, G.P.O.

QUEENSLAND COAST.—Wanted, REPRESENTATIVE with Engineering knowledge, to call upon manufacturers and others. Enclose references. State age, engineering and selling experience, C. O., Herald Office.

ROUGH Carpenter wanted, to erect shed, etc. Apply Sat. aftn., P. Thompson, Nelson-st., Gordon.

RESP. GIRL, to assist in Shop and light Sewing, to start. Apply, after 10, 46 Castlereagh-st.

RESPECTABLE BOY wanted. Alex. Cowan and Sons, Ltd., 37 York-st.

RESPECTABLE and Well-educated Youth required for merchant's office, accounts depart., accurate at figures and good writing indispensable, one with prev. exp. pref. Age and sal. req., Clericus, Box 1587 G.P.O.

REQUIRED, for school, Jun. Res. Gov., Prot., Eng., mus., elocut., kindergarten pref. Lex., Ashfield P.O.

RELIABLE LAD required at once. ROLLASON and CO., Limited, Wholesale Jewellery Manufacturers, 119-21 Castlereagh-street.

REQUIRED the services of a WOMAN of sterling qualities, who would value opportunity to invest in business, conducted on profit-sharing lines, success depending upon personal effort. Investment, Herald.

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SHIRTMAKERS.—Machinists, all branches; Finishers; Girls to learn. VICTORIA SHIRT FACTORY, 277 Castlereagh-st., nr. Mark Foy's.

SILVERTON TRAMWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEER.

Applications will be received for the above position until 10th March next.

Applicant must be thoroughly qualified to design and take complete charge of Workshops, Locomotives, and Rolling Stock, at a salary of £600 per annum, Residence, Fuel, Water, and Light.

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APPLICATIONS, accompanied by testimonials, are invited for Position of

SENIOR SALESMAN.

BARRINGTON, SMITH, and CO., Melbourne.

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TO TAILORESSES.—Experienced SKIRT HAND wanted. Gowing Bros., George-st.

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TAILORESSES.—Table Hands, for coats, trous., and vests. Marcus Clark and Co., Ltd., Central-square.

TAILORESSES.—Machinists; also Table Hands and Apprentices. Empire, 47 Market-st.

TAILORESSES.—First-class Trousers Hands wanted. Sutherland, Gamble, Castlereagh House, Hunter-st.

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Apply Tailoring Department, DAVID JONES, Ltd.

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THE WOMEN'S HOSPITAL, CROWN-STREET, SYDNEY.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the position of HONORARY ANAESTHETIST to the above institution. Applications to be addressed to D. MEADOWCROFT, Secretary.

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Applications with reference as to qualifications and character to be addressed to the Secretary, Theological Hall Committee, Box 109, G.P.O., Sydney, on or before SATURDAY, 12th March, 1910.

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APPLICATIONS are invited, and will be received up to MONDAY, 21st March, 1910, from trained Certificated Nurses for the positions of MATRON and ASSISTANT NURSE to the above Hospital.

Salary: Matron £70 per annum, Nurse £52 per annum.

Applicants must be registered by the A.T.N.A., furnish testimonials, and state age.

Further particulars can be obtained from J. WISE, Secretary.

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WANTED, OFFICE JUNIOR, suitable timber yard. H. McKenzie, Ltd., Glebe Island.

WANTED, BOY, about 16, to learn Dental Work. 294A Pitt-st.

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WANTED, BOY, 7s 6d per week. C. Brooke, Metropolitan-chrs., Market-st.

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WANTED, smart BOY, as Messenger. Manning, Chemist, Milson's Point.

WANTED, smart yg. GIRL, canvass Parramatta. State wages, etc., by letter, K. P., Herald.

WANTED, 2 first-class IRONMOULDERS. Bramwell and Vincent, 219 Harris-st., Pyrmont.

WANTED, smart BOY, for office. Arnold W. Love, lcd. surveyor, 3 Castlereagh-st., city.

WANTED, North Shore, MAN, to nail signs on trees, Artarmon. Box 1200, G.P.O.

WANTED, 4 LIMEWASHERS, no duffers. Apply Foreman Painter, Herald Office.

WANTED, smart BOY, light duties, short hours. No. 8 Camden-buildings, 416 George-st.

WANTED, for Bulk Store, CLERK (18 to 25), salary to commence, 30s per week. Box 196, G.P.O.

WANTED, LAD, about 16 years of age, to assist storeman. Apply 13 Goulburn-st., Sydney.

WANTED, a BOY, used to working jeweller. Apply Silversmith, Herald, King-st.

WANTED, BOY, for Shirt Dept., wholesale house; just leaving school pref. Personally, 107 York-st., city.

WANTED, Smart Boy. Apply by letter only, encl. refs., to A. A. Marks, tobacconist, 276 George-st.

WANTED, Apprentice to Millinery. Apply Mr. V. H. Jones, 150 Pitt-st.

WANTED, smart Junior Jewellery SALESMAN. Angus and Coote, 492-4 George-st.

WANTED, an intelligent Girl, as office junior, good writing and accur. at figures essent. 354, Herald.

WANTED, BOY, store work, city, wages 10s start. Apply by letter, S.J., Herald Office.

WANTED, GIRLS, 7s start, bottling and labelling. Apply 33 Bathurst-st.

WANTED, good Skirt Hands, highest wages; also Improvers, good sewers. 297 George-st.

WANTED, Lady Typist, for legal office, must be accustomed to accounts. Apply Lex, Box 50, G.P.O.

WANTED, smart BOY, to learn trade. Apply The Royal Writers, 80 Royal Arcade.

WANTED, BOYS for warehouse. Apply with copies of testimon. to Sandy and Co., Ltd., 326-8 Geo.-st.

WANTED, Assistant to Dressmaking. Apply after 9, Miss Stephen, Victoria-chambers, 44 Castlereagh-st.

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WANTED, a Fitter, used to blacksmith's shop. Apply H. Hillier, coachbuilder, 161 George-st. West.

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WANTED, a young Lady for the Sales. Thompson, Draper, 23 Cowper-st., Waverley.

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WANTED, MACHINISTS. Walder's Tent Factory, 348 Elizabeth-st.

WANTED, BRICK CLEANERS. 340 Pitt-st.

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WANTED, 2 Boys. Murray Bros. Furniture Manufacturers, Stanley-st., off Cleveland-st., Redfern.

WANTED, Junior Ledger Keeper. Apply, stating age, sal. and exp., with copies refs., to X.Z., Herald.

WANTED, expert TYPIST. Apply early, C. F. Jones, 4 Victoria Arcade.

WANTED, smart Youth, useful in furniture warehouse. Gourlay Bros., Ltd., Miller-st., N. Syd.

WANTED, smart Boy for office, attend telephone, salary 10s wkly. start. Foley Bros., Sussex-st.

WANTED, 2 strong YOUTHS for Factory and Yard. Apply Konig, Alice-st., Newtown.

WANTED, a respect. Youth, about 15, for office. Apply B. Austin and Co., 14 City-road.

WANTED, a certificated LIFT ATTENDANT and useful, good wages; sleep in. Miss Layard, Eliz.-st.

WANTED, GIRL, able to machine slopping, 6s to start. Progressive, Herald.

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WANTED, a BOY, to make himself useful in Blacksmith's Shop. A. Amos, Botany-rd., Waterloo.

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WANTED, young GIRL, used to shop, mixed business. Apply 9-11 a.m., 51 Regent-st., Redfern.

WANTED, young GIRL, just leaving school, learn trade. Address E. E., New Markets, city.

WANTED, SATURDAY SALESMAN, for hat dept. F. J. Palmer and Son, corner Pitt and Park sts.

WANTED, good COACHPAINTER, for country, good wages. Apply Albert Chandler, 39 Goulburn-st.

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WANTED, LAD, strike for Shoeturner. Goodwin, Salisbury-rd., Stanmore, near station.

WANTED, a BOY, left school, for office, 8s to start. Mr. O'Brien, 167 Phillip-st., city.

WANTED, Organist and Choir Master for Stanmore Presby. Church, Amer. organ. Presbyterian, Herald.

WANTED, strong LAD, for oil and colour store. Apply, by letter, No. 101P, Herald Office.

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WANTED, COOK-LAUNDRESS or WORKING HOUSEKEEPER, small family. Apply Mrs. JENKINSON, Aberfoyle, Gordon-street, Burwood.

WANTED, exp. BANDMASTER, take charge Manly Band from March 21, 1910 (cornet player pref.). State exp. and sal. Further partics., apply J. SCULLY, Sec., 35 Belgrave-st., Manly. Applic. close March 14.

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WANTED, CHAUFFEUR, for a gentleman's private car, at Woollahra, no nightwork or very little Sunday work, wages ... Apply by letter to ... Box 832, G.P.O.

WANTED, Plain Sewers (Monday), no work Saturdays. Imperial Cap Factory, 302 Kent-st., city.

WANTED, a strong energetic BOY for general office work, with opportunity to learn typewriter repairing. Apply Saturday morning. FISHER and LINGHAM.

WANTED, for large city office, LAD, from 14 to 16 years. Apply with copies of testimonials to JUNIOR, Box 1021, G.P.O.

WANTED, young MAN, to work in a boatshed and to have little idea of oil launches. MATSON, National Park.

WANTED, TRAVELLER, Time-payment Jewellery, for city, personal references, £75, guarantee required. Jeweller, Herald Office, King-street.

WELL-EDUCATED YOUTH, fresh from school, required for merchant's office. Apply with references. Youth, Box 1587, G.P.O.

WANTED, young LADY to learn pressing (Skirtroom); 7s to start. Apply Monday morning. Mrs. L. MOSS, Next Lassetter's. 62 York-street.

WANTED, smart LAD, for bookstall, local references indispensable. Apply on Monday morning, between 9.30 and 11 o'clock, to N.S.W. BOOKSTALL CO., 476 George-street, Sydney.

WANTED, competent BOOKSELLER, must have good local references, good opening for an energetic and reliable man. Apply by letter, stating experience to N.S.W. Bookstall Co., 476 George-st., Syd.

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WANTED, an APPRENTICE; also a young Lady Pupil to ladies' hairdressing. Apply to Miss EVA BRAHAM, 374 George-street, city.

WANTED, immediately, Obstetric Nurse, country, £60; several General Nurses; 2 tall, strong Probationers, without exp., 15s; Nurse for walking child, Mtns.; Nurse to invalid. Miss MacLachlan, 350 Geo.-st.

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WANTED, applications for the position of MATRON to Dungog Cottage Hospital, must be member A.T.N.A., and able to dispense. Salary £65. Three nurses and wardsman on staff. Applications close 15th inst. Rev. G. W. PAYNE, Hon. Sec.

WANTED, SMART AND EXPERIENCED SECOND, FOR MANTLE DEPARTMENT.

Apply by letter, SARGOOD BROS.

WANTED, YOUTH, FOR ENTERING-ROOM, SOFTGOODS WAREHOUSE. Previous experience preferred.

Apply Box 1617, G.P.O.

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Apply 10 a.m., SARGOOD BROS.

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One leaving school preferred. Apply in own handwriting. Box 1617, G.P.O.

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Must be Good Writer and Quick at Figures.

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WANTED, immediately, several smart, thoroughly respectable YOUNG LADIES for City and Suburban outside Advertising Work. Salary 25s weekly, with possible bonus additions on results. Apply by letter, state age, and copy of references as to respectability. Box 61, G.P.O.

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Applications are invited and will be received up to SATURDAY, the 12th inst., for the position of Probationary Nurse, salary £15 per annum; also Nurse with about 12 months' experience, salary £20 per annum.

Apply, with copies only of references, to J. A. MAYO, Secretary.

WE HAVE VACANCIES for smart young LADIES (good writers) in our Mail Order Department.

Wages, age 15, 7s per week.
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Wages, age 17, 11s per week.
Wages, age 18, 13s per week.
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Apply to Mr. MEYER, 9.30 a.m., Mail Order Department, Francis-street entrance, GRACE BROS., Broadway.

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Apply Works Manager, BENNETT and WOOD, Ltd., 284 Pitt-street, Sydney.

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APPLICATION FOR ENGINEER.

Applications are invited from gentlemen duly qualified as Engineers under the Local Government Act, 1906-8, to fill the Position of ENGINEER to this Shire. Salary, Three Hundred Pounds (£300) per annum, to include instruments, equipment, and travelling allowances. The successful applicant must also take up minor duties of Inspector of Public Gates, Public Vehicles, Noxious Weeds, and Nuisances.

Applications close on FRIDAY, March 18th, 1910, at 4 o'clock p.m. Applicant to state age, also enclose copies of testimonials, and when he will be able to enter upon his duties.

Applications to be addressed to the President, and endorsed Application for Engineer.

By Order of the Council. J. VAUGHAN, Clerk and Engineer.
Shire-chambers, Hay, February 28th, 1910.

YOUTH, about 16, wanted. Apply by letter, Thos. Cook and Son, Challis House.

YOUTH, knowledge shorthand and typewriting, for city office, excellent opportunities. Apply Employment Department, STOTT and HOARE, Ltd., Moore-street, Sydney.

SERVANTS WANTED.

A SUPERIOR GIRL wanted, light housework. Apply Monday, after 2, Harley, 143 Macquarie-st.

A HOUSEMAID, compt., young, active. Apply, with references, 10 Macleay-st., Potts Point.

A COMP. Cook-General, housemaid kept. Apply Dr. Doak, opposite P.O., Mosman.

A RESPECT. young Girl, for general work, 12s, no washing. Tel., 36 Mosman.

A SMART, reli. yng. Barmaid, 25s (saloon), city hotel, g. place; yg. Houseabout, 30s. 45 Eliz.-st.

A COOK, 25s, good hotel, short distance from Sydney; fare paid. Flett and Moore, 45 Elizabeth-st.

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A GOOD Home offered orphan Girl over 16, assist all household duties. Letter, Home, Herald Branch.

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A YOUTH, deliver papers and useful, 7s 6d, keep, ctry. boy pref. Howley, Newsagency, D'moyne.

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A GIRL for Housework, 2 in family, etc. Donny Brook, Wyong-rd., Mosman. 'Phone, 777 M.

A YOUNG GIRL to assist as GENERAL. 480 Glenmore-rd., Rushcutter Bay.

AT once, capable LADY HELP, willing go country, fond of children, personal references. Apply Ilfracombe, Moore-avenue, Randwick.

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A WIDOW or domesticated person, all duties, marrd. couple, cottage, every conv., good home, 10s. Apply, with refs., Saturday to Monday. STIRLING (next quarry), Lower Cowles-road, Mosman.

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AT MRS. MURPHY'S, 173 Pitt-street. Tl., 2758 City. COOKS, male and female, 25s, 30s; Cook and Laundresses, 18s; House and Parlor Maid, Housemaid-Waitresses, light Generals, Houseman, Waiter, Yg., etl.

AT Mrs. PERRIE'S, 143 Castlereagh-st.—Wanted, Kitchenmaid, Housemaid, Waitresses, hotels, Northern Line; House Parlourmaid, stn., Housemaid Waitresses, hotel, W. Line; Cooks, L'dresses, Gens., stns.

AT SIMPSON BROS., 76 Hunter-st. Tel., City 1872. TWO FRIENDS or Mother and Dghtr. for bachelors' quarters, Housekeeper and H. Maid, station, N. line, £1 and 15s; int. 11 o'clock to-day.

COOK for rabbit camp, 25s, fare paid, leave Sunday; LAD, assist gard., 10s.

ELDERLY MAN, Moss Vale, 12s 6d, milk 1 cow.

WAITRESS, hotel, mtns., leave to-day, 12s.

BARMAID, public, 20s; Cook, Laundress, stn., 20s; Ltd. Man, usef., 7s 6d, keep. Peters, 41 Eliz.-st.

BARMAID, 20s; Hotel Useful, 20s. Mrs. Wrodin, 52 Post Office-chrs., 114A Pitt-st., opp. G.P.O.

BARMAID, saloon, first-class, city hotel, 25s, interview employer 11 sharp, 16 Elizabeth-st.

BARMAIDS.—2 Saloon Barmaids, expd., highest refs., good wages. Noon, Hotel Alexandra, 84 C'reagh-st.

BARMEN.—Smart Man, as Barman, and Useful, to start at once. United Service Hotel, Oxford-st., P.

BARMAN, subs., 40s; attractive Girl, learn bar, c'try hotel, 15/; Man, Cook, 30s; Kitchenman, subs., 16s; Man, Useful, garden, horse, 12s; Boy, rail, ref. rms., c'try. ISRAEL'S, 27 Elizabeth-street.

BARMAID, for leading hotel, country, 25s, keep, interview gent. 10 sharp. Good place.

2 WAITRESSES, hotels, North. line, 15s, 14s, tips. Carlos H. Simmonds and Sons, 188 Castlereagh-st.

BURWOOD.—NURSEGIRL wanted, good wages and good home. Mrs. SLADE, Wellings, Want-street, Burwood.

COMFORT, home, good wages, for General in small family, subs. State age, refs, etc., Z.X.Y., Hrld.

COOK, for country, able to bake and make butter, 25s. 73 Elizabeth-st.

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COOK and LAUNDRESS. 219 Macquarie-st. North.

CAPABLE Domestic Help, 4 adults, daily or res., per. refs. Mrs. Friend, 4 Manning-rd., Double Bay.

COMPT. GENERAL, no laundry work. Cotham, Ocean-st., opp. Council-chambers, Woollahra.

COMPT. Lady Help, all duties, 10s, no shirts, collars, ev. conv. After 11, 34 Henson-st., Summer Hill.

COMPETENT GENERAL, small family, gas stove. Caswell, Hercules-st., Chatswood.

COMPETENT COOK and LAUNDRESS and HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID, references. Apply personally or by letter to Mrs. W. S. HINDER, Trenton, Cranbrook-road, near Rose Bay Pier.

COMPETENT Light GENERAL, 2 in family, cottage, good home, country girl preferred; open 7 days; references; wages 10s. Mrs. FLOYD, Abingdon, Bushy Hill street, Strathfield.

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Call after 10. Open 3 days.

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GENERAL required, 2 in family, Donnybrook, Wyong-rd., Mosman. 'Phone, 777 M.

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HELP, 15, fond children, no washing, Saturday or Monday morning. 41 Alt-st., Ashfield.

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Small family, comfortable home, single room, on Lane Cove River.

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REFINED Person, about 30, all duties, fam. 3 adults, cottage, take tram. 15 Pacific-st., Manly.

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WANTED, a good useful GIRL. Apply Mrs. Thomas, Holmecroft, Leura.

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WANTED, Lady Help, all duties, 3 in family, sleep home. Apply Mrs. Hogg, 19 Searl-st., Petersham.

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WANTED, GENERAL, small private family, good wages, references. Apollo, Raglan-st., Mosman. T., 748.

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WANTED, competent GENERAL, 2 adults. Allerton, The Avenue, Strathfield.

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WANTED, smart Girl, as light General. Eramblie, Macquarie-st., Annandale.

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WANTED, a LAD to work on dairy and milk. Colless, Dean-st., Enfield.

WANTED, young General Help, two in family, references. Apply 66 Elizabeth-st., Paddington.

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WANTED, smart, experienced WAITRESS, 14s, no Sun. or holiday work. Apply 26 Oxford-st., city.

WANTED, a good 2nd Cook, male or female. Apply at The Carlton, Manly, early as possible.

WANTED, a young Girl, to do housework. Apply after 3 o'clock, 244 Devonshire-st., Surry Hills.

WANTED, competent GENERAL. Apply Meanwood, Carlton-crescent, Summer Hill.

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WANTED, a MOTHER'S HELP, sleep home, evenings free from 7. 36 Glenview-st., Paddington.

WANTED, good GENERAL, 15s; also HOUSEMAID, 13s. 451 Oxford-st., Paddington.

WANTED, domesticated Help, all duties, assistance given, comf. home, 8s. 42 Frederick-st., Ashfield.

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WANTED, an experienced WAITRESS. Apply 227 Oxford-st., Darlinghurst.

WANTED, exp. yng. Lady, as Nurse-Needlewoman, 3 children, gd. wages. Mrs. M'Kinnon, L'pool-rd., Ashf.

WANTED, a Useful GIRL, 2 family. Neida Berri, Holt's-avenue, Mosman.

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WANTED, young GENERAL. 157 Victoria-st. North, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, COOK and LAUNDRESS. Mrs. Elliott, Cranston, Bondi-rd., Bondi.

WTD., superior GIRL, as Waitress, good references. Apply Hotel Mosman.

WTD., young Girl, to assist with light housework, gd. h., no wash. Bonny Doon, Raynor-st., Lchdt.

WANTED, competent young GENERAL, good wages. Miller, Berea, Cross-st., Double Bay.

WANTED, young NURSE, by day, reliable. Miller, Berea, Cross-st., Double Bay.

WANTED, General Servant, comf. home, no children. Mrs. Boyce, St. Paul's, Cleveland-Regent sts, Redf.

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WANTED, Light GENERAL. Apply 302 Addison-rd., Marrickville.

WANTED, experienced HOUSEMAID. Apply Hotel Arcadia, between 1 and 2.

WANTED, cap. General, sm. fam., good wages. Mrs. Colvin, Rectory, Dulwich Hill.

WANTED, young GENERAL and assist with children. Apply 83 Cleveland-st., nr. Moore Park.

WANTED, light General, no washing, sleep home, wages 10s. 311 Victoria-st., Darlinghurst.

WANTED, GENERAL or Girl to assist. Scythe, 9 L'Avenue, Newtown.

WANTED, a good GENERAL, sleep home, no washing. Waverley Bakery, Cowper-st., Waverley.

WANTED, a strong, tidy Girl as General Help. Apply 40 Edgecliff-rd., Woollahra.

WANTED, young GIRL, to assist in light housework. Ashford, Ewart-st., Fern Hill, near station.

WANTED, young, respectable GIRL, good home, small family. Clematis, Garfield-st., Five Dock.

WANTED, respectable Girl or Woman, housework for 6 wks., 2 children. Mrs. Dallimore, Warrawee.

WANTED, young MAN, able to milk and deliver. James Howard, Croydon-rd., Hurstville.

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WANTED, COOK and LAUNDRESS for station. Interview at Enlong, Billyard-av., Elizabeth Bay.

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WANTED, a young PANTRYMAID, sleep at home. Apply The Peel, Elizabeth Bay-rd.

WANTED, a good LAUNDRESS. After 9, 100 Stanley-st., city.

WANTED, educated Woman as Housekeeper, bachs., well-furn. cott., state age. Lennox, Herald, Ke.-st.

WANTED, compt. Lady Help, small family, no washing. Charnwood, Robert-st., Strathfield.

WANTED, thorough GENERAL, good place and wages. Mrs. Pike, Boulevard Registry, Strathfield.

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WANTED, Housemaid Laundress; also Woman, for General work. Clyde Coffee Pal., 208 C'reagh-st.

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WANTED, 2 Ladies as LADY HELPS, in gentleman's family, 12 miles from Goulburn, or a good General Servant and Nursery Housemaid, refs. required. Mrs. W. A. HARRIS, Springfield, Goulburn.

WANTED, a GIRL, just left school, to help in house, sleep at home. Hours, 9 o'clock to 7. Apply EVINGTON, Neptune-st., Coogee.

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WANTED, by lady going to country, young Lady, accustomed to domestic duties, 4in family, 12s. Apply Mrs. MURRAY, The Towers, Kurraba-road, Neutral Bay. Tel., 949 N.S.

WANTED, HOUSEMAID-LAUNDRESS, personal references indispensable. Mrs. RULE TAYLOR, Tintern, Billyard-avenue, Elizabeth Bay.

WANTED, by Mrs. Busby, Cassilis, HOUSEMAID-LAUNDRESS, for country, £1 a week, personal references required. Apply 52 Macleay-street, till 10.30 a.m. or after 8 o'clock p.m.

WANTED, a good GENERAL, no washing. Apply morning and evening, with references, to AVIEMORE, Mowbray-road, Chatswood, near St. Stephen's Church.

WANTED, for small family, an honest GIRL as COOK-LAUNDRESS, gas stove, good wages. Apply with references, UNDOONA, Albert-road, Strathfield.

WANTED, a first-class GROOM, for private residence, and to assist in garden. Must be thoroughly experienced and steady. Apply with copy of references to Groom, c.o. Gordon and Gotch, Pitt-street.

WANTED, smart, reliable young Girl, as House and Parlour Maid, assistance given. Apply personally or by letter, with refs. Mrs. FRANCIS BACON, Glenunaar, New South Head-road, Double Bay.

WANTED, a competent GENERAL SERVANT, for family of 4 adults. Apply Willanjie, Tindale-road, Artarmon.

WANTED, for small private family, competent HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID, under-housemaid kept. Apply, with copies of references, A. B., Post-office, Burwood.

WANTED, a thoroughly competent GENERAL, wages 18s. Apply personally or by letter to Heidelberg, Mowbray-road, Chatswood, or ring up Telephone 150 Chatswood.

WANTED, competent GENERAL, another maid kept, gas stove, wages 14s, fare paid. Hyfranesser, Gillies and St. David's-avenue, off Dalhousie-street, Haberfield.

WANTED, smart, middle-aged WOMAN, to take charge of cottage, all duties. Mrs. ALLEN, cor. McRae-street and Livingstone-road, close to Addison-road tram, Petersham.

WANTED, LADY HELP, adult family 3. Mrs. SHELLEY, corner Union and Prince Albert streets, Telephone, 823. Mosman.

WANTED, two good MILK-SELLERS, must be sober. Apply personally. HOYLE and LEWIS, Newcastle Milk Supply Co., Newcastle.

WANTED, trustworthy GENERAL, references, 2 in family, gas stove. THE GUNYAH, Russell-avenue, Lindfield. Telephone, 294 Chatswood.

FUNERALS.

ANDERSON.—The Funeral of the late Mrs. MARY JEAN ANDERSON will leave her residence, Durham Hall, Albion-street, Moore Park, THIS SATURDAY, at 2.45 p.m., for the Waverley Cemetery.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Limited, Undertakers,
7 Elizabeth-street, city. Tel., 875.

THE Council of N.S.W. Chamber of Manufactures (Incorporated) invite members to attend the Funeral of Mrs. ANDERSON, wife of Mr. Charles Anderson, Treasurer of the Chamber; to move from her late residence, Albion-street, city, for Waverley Cemetery, at 2.45 p.m.
J. C. FARLEIGH, President.
G. T. CLARKE, Secretary.

BAILEY.—The Funeral of the late JAMES BAILEY will leave the Sacred Heart Hospice, Darlinghurst, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the R.C. Cemetery, Gore Hill. Friends wishing to attend may join Funeral at Milson's Point at 2.30. By request, no flowers.
WALTER BRUCE, Undertaker,
Crow's Nest. 'Phone, 923 N.S.

BROWNE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ERNEST BROWNE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly-loved SON, Ernest Joseph; to leave 28 Cowper-street, Marrickville, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood, via Newtown station.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Marrickville Branch: Marrickville-rd. and Despointes-st.

BURGE.—The Friends of the late Mr. JAMES BURGE are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to leave 614 Crown-street, Surry Hills, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Waverley Cemetery.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Head Office and Mortuary Chambers,
472-484 Harris-street, city.

CAMPER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ARTHUR E. CAMPER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly-loved SON, William Albert; to leave 42 City-road, city, THIS (Saturday) MORNING, at 8.45, for the Necropolis.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Sydney and Suburbs.

COLEBROOK.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. PERCY COLEBROOK are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly-loved DAUGHTER, Jessie Mildred; to leave Formosa-street, Drummoyne, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Field of Mars Cemetery.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Rozelle, Balmain, Drummoyne, Gladesville.

CRICHTON.—The Friends of the late JOHN JAMES CRICHTON are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to leave our Funeral Parlours, 61 Oxford-street, Paddington (foot of Barracks), THIS SATURDAY, at 8.30 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
CHARLES KINSELA,
Tel., 992 Central. Funeral Director,
Head Office, 116 Oxford-street, City.

DAVIS.—The Friends of the late Mrs. MARIA DAVIS are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, which will leave her daughter's residence, Woodlands, 21 Belgrave-street, Manly, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Manly Cemetery.

DAVIS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. FOGGON, Senior, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly loved MOTHER, Mrs. Maria Davis; to leave their residence, Woodlands, 21 Belgrave-street, Manly, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for the Manly Cemetery.

DAVIS.—The Friends of CHARLES, MATTHEW, JOE, MYRA, MAGGIE, AMELIA, LATINA, and MAY FOGGON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved GRANDMOTHER, Mrs. Maria Davis; which will leave their residence, Woodlands, 21 Belgrave-street, Manly, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for the Manly Cemetery.

FENNELLY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM FENNELLY and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved DAUGHTER and SISTER, Margaret; which will leave their residence, Monara, 12 Cavendish-street, Enmore, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 1.45 o'clock, for Roman Catholic Cemetery, Necropolis, via Newtown Station.
WOOD and COMPANY,
Funeral Directors.
Sydney and Suburbs. Telephone, 726, etc.

FENNELLY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. BOTHE are requested to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SISTER, Maggie; to move from her late residence, Monaro, Cavendish-street, Enmore, THIS DAY, at 1.45, for Rookwood.

HAIGH.—The Friends of the late FREDERICK HAIGH are invited to attend his Funeral; to leave the Auburn Cottage Hospital, THIS SATURDAY, at 8.30, for the Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood.
W. METCALFE and CO.,
Parramatta. Tel., 90.

HANNI.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. HANNI are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved DAUGHTER, Alice; to leave their residence, No. 12 George-street, St. Peters, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for Presbyterian Cemetery, Rookwood.
F. W. HARTLEY, Undertaker,
King-street, Newtown.

HART.—The Friends of WILLIAM, GEORGE, JOSEPH, and Dr. HART are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved FATHER, William Hart; to move from his son's (George Hart) residence, Wentworth-street, Parramatta, THIS SATURDAY, at 8.30, for Western-road Cemetery, Parramatta.
WILLIAM METCALFE and CO.,
Undertakers, Parramatta.

HART.—The Members of the PRINCE ALBERT DIVISION, No. 20, Sons and Daughters of Temperance, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late Brother, WILLIAM HART, Sen.; to move from his late residence, Wentworth-street, Parramatta, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Western-road Cemetery.
G. W. HOWELL, W.P.
J. DUTTON, R.S.

LONSDALE.—The Friends of Mrs. JULIA LONSDALE and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved HUSBAND and their FATHER, William Lonsdale, which will leave his late residence, 87 Mansfield-street, Rozelle, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Church of England Cemetery, Waverley.
WOOD and COMPANY,
Funeral Directors.
Sydney and Suburbs. Tel., 726, etc.

PERRY.—The Friends of Mr. ROBERT PERRY and FAMILY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly-loved WIFE and MOTHER; to leave 9 Bennett-street, Moore Park, 1 p.m., for the Necropolis.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Funeral Directors.

PERRY.—Mr. and Mrs. FRANK PERRY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly-loved MOTHER; to leave 9 Bennett-street, Moore Park, 1 p.m., for the Necropolis.
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SHADBOLT.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. HENRY E. SHADBOLT, also HENRY E. and REUBEN SHADBOLT, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly-loved SON and BROTHER, Herbert; to move from their residence, 33 Marlborough-street, Leichhardt, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.45, for Petersham station, thence to C. of E. Cemetery, Rookwood.
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SWISS EMBROIDERED MUSLINS	/10½	/5½	/2¾
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LOST, fr. Penshurst, cream Pony, 14.1, L (s.deways) ov. JL n. sh. Rew., W. J. Goddard, Penshurst-rd.

LOST, the Morning Headache, now that I stick to DICKENS WHISKY.

LADY who was seen to pick up Bag contg. money, jewel., 9.30 tram from Milson's Pt. Wed. evng., return at once to 78 Carabella-street. Handsome reward if returned without further delay.

LOST, Friday, 25th, Wycombe-road, Neutral Bay, and Kangaroo-street, Manly, Cardboard Suit BOX, containing Wearing Apparel and Gold Brooch. Reward 10s. G. BARKER, 9 Richmond-terrace, Domain.

LOST, from 662 Crown-st, S. Hills, Feb. 24, Blue and Tan Silky Terrier Bitch, also sm. Blk. and Tan Terrier Dog, blue head, collar on both, privately marked. Detainer prosecuted.

LOST, Cheque, No. 933,739, Bank New South Wales, Bathurst-st Branch, drawer M. Raleigh, 529 George-street.
Payment stopped 1st March, 1910.

REWARD.—Lost, on Sunday, between Leichhardt and 50 Euroka-street, North Sydney, LADY'S GOLD WATCH AND CHAIN, keepsake.
50 Euroka-street, North Sydney.

STRAYED, between 21 Yeo-st, Neutral Bay, and West-street, FOX TERRIER DOG. Any person found detaining will be prosecuted.
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WILL person seen picking up large pink bead Bag, Maj. Th., ret. Rew. Sunnyside, 55 Bayswater-rd.

WILL Person who took by mistake Lady's Morocco Leather Bag, marked E.G.B., from Milson's Point Boat please return the 3 letters and papers therein. Most important owner. Rew., Bailey, Clift-st, N. Syd.

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FOUND, BROOCH, name, Prospect-st. Owner may have describing, paying ad. Valencia, Day-st, Lchdt.

FOUND, Brante Cliffs, Gold Amethyst Brooch, initials C. Buott, Hardy-st, Waverley, nr. cemetery.

FOUND, LADY'S BANGLE. Apply W. Putino, Hanks-st, Ashfield.

FOUND, in Forest Lodge, a sum of MONEY. Apply S. P. School, Forest Lodge.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MRS. ALEXANDER MITCHELL has returned and is at home to Friends daily, from 11 to 5, Saturdays excepted. Meeting every Tuesday and Thursday, 8 sharp. 172 Forbes-st, 6 doors from Church.

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MADAM HERSCHEL, late 55 Hunter-st, Removed to 443 Elizabeth-st, city.

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We are offering a Special Line of Ladies' TWEED WINTER COATS, Chevron and Check, Roll Collars, Double-breasted, Swing and Strap Backs, Self Buttons, all up-to-date Fashions, in S.W., W., and O.S. sizes, all at 12/11 each. For Sale in BARGAIN DEPARTMENT, Basement, "Model Store."
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A new shipment of the best Ruby and Gold, Green and Gold, and Plain Glass, with Gold and Coloured Edges (extra heavy gold).
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Ruby and Gold Cream Jugs, 3/ each.
Ruby and Gold Individual Sugar Basins, 2/ each.
Green and Gold Butter Basins, 3/6 each.
Green and Gold Sugar Basins, 3/ each.
Green and Gold Salad Bowls, round, 8in, 4/ each.
Green and Gold Jam Dishes, round, 4in, 1/ each.
Green and Gold Fruit Dishes, 11in, oval, extra deep, 5/ each.
Green and Gold Cream Jugs, 1/9 each.
Green and Gold Individual Sugar Basins, 1/6 each.
Salad Bowls, 8in square, plain glass, with green centre and gold edges, -/ each.
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TWO PEARL DOME LISLE GLOVES, IN BEAVERS, GREYS, BLACK AND WHITE, in all sizes.
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LADIES' WHITE HEMSTITCHED HANDKERCHIEFS, of good quality and good size.
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Ladies' Plain-coloured Lisle Hose, in Saxe, Helio., Purple, Vieux Rose, Champagne, 11½d pair.
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Children's Ribbed ¾-Cashmere Hose (Jason Unshrinkable), in Tan, Black, Navy, size 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10—10½d, 11½d, 1/0½, 1/1½, 1/2½, 1/3½, 1/4½, 1/5½.
Children's Ribbed ¾-Sox (Jason Unshrinkable), Tan, Black, Navy, size 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7—7d, 7½d, 8d, 8½d, 9d, 9½d, 10d, 10½d pair.

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